

by fair and pleasant weather on the 13th or 14th, when there is probability of a return to unsettled weather and showers.

Attitude of German People Belies Tale of Peace This Fall

United Press Correspondent Finds Them
Unwilling to Accept Anything Short
of a Complete Victory.

TO LIVE DOWN NAME OF "BARBARIANS"

BY ED. L. KEYS, European Manager of the United Press.
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London, Sept. 8.—The German people are not angling for peace. The war must continue until the ultimate outcome even if the hard conflict should result in a war of exhaustion. Germans fully appreciate that their position on the western front is vastly more difficult than in the east, but they are absolutely convinced of their ability to break through the Anglo-French lines.

ANOTHER LINER SUNK BY A GERMAN U-BOAT

Clarke Takes to Sea on Voyage
to Italy

(By United Press)
London, Sept. 8.—The Harrison
liner Dictator from Liverpool has
been sunk by a German submarine.
Her crew of 42 was landed today.

The White Star liner Cimrie, sister
ship of the ill-fated Arabie, took
no chances with German submarines
on her trip from New York which
ended at Liverpool today. The cap-
tain was informed by wireless that
Germany had promised to torpedo no
more liners without warning, but
double look-outs were maintained and
life boat drills practiced each day in
spite of this news.

FRENCH AND GERMAN AIR MEN ACTIVE IN FLANDERS

Sixty Bombs Dropped on German
Aviation Camp

(By United Press)
Paris, Sept. 8.—Air warfare on a
large scale was carried on along the
Franco-Flanders battle front last
night and early today. French avi-
ators dropped 60 bombs in the German
aviation camp at Madrad and Dieuze.
French and British aviators raided
another German camp at Ostend. A
squad of German air men attacked
Nancy dropping bombs and killing
several persons.

FRED CLARKE, MANAGER OF THE PIRATES QUITS GAME

Popular Leader to Try the Simple
Life on Kansas Farm

(By United Press)
Pittsburg, Sept. 8.—Fred Clarke,
manager of the Pittsburg Pirates
since 1900, announced today he had
resigned effective at the close of the
present season. "I am tired of base-
ball," he said, "and am going to live
on my farm in Kansas." Clarke de-
nied that there had been any row with
the Pittsburg managers.

PANIC SEIZES PETROGRAD

(By United Press)
Berlin, September 8.—General Mac-
ken has driven the Russians from
Comak and has arrived within 36 miles
of Tink. Berlin newspapers yester-
day printed reports that a state of
panic has seized the population of
Petrograd as a result of these rumors
that Riga has fallen and that the Ger-
mans are now marching on the capital.
An Athens dispatch to news-
papers today stated it was reported in
the Greek capital that the president
of the Petrograd police has been as-
sinated.

OYSTER SUPPER

The ladies of the Baptist church
will give a oyster supper in the base-
ment of their church on Thursday
September 16, from 5 o'clock in the
afternoon until 8 o'clock. The price
of the supper will be 25 cents.

DANCE AT DIMELING

Wright's Colored Saxophone orches-
tra at the Dimeling Friday night.
Subscription \$2. Committee, W. H.
Patterson, Jr., T. R. Lytle. S 8-St.

SEED WHEAT

Smooth, red seed wheat for sale at
Stone House farm. Good variety.
James Mitchell. S 7-S-wk.

Fresh Peaches

Yellow, Albetas, and Choice
White Hand Picked
65c
The Half Bushel
OVERLY BROS.

I have just returned from a week's
visit to Berlin. The above conclu-
sions are based upon personal obser-
vations and conversations with Ger-
mans of low and high degree. Among
the latter were important government
leaders.

When I arrived at the German cap-
ital they were celebrating the capture
of Russian prisoners and munition.
I found no basis for stories that Ger-
many is putting forth peace sugges-
tions. I asked one of the highest
German officials whether Germany
would consider a peace offering a that
time.

"Yes," replied promptly, "it
comes from our enemies and if based
upon the admission that we are the
victors."

"Would you consider a suggestion
for mediation from a neutral source,
for instance, from President Wilson,"
I asked.

"We would treat any such sugges-
tion with the utmost courtesy," was
the reply, "but it is my personal
opinion that Germany would open
negotiations only if requested directly
by her enemies."

My conversation with other govern-
ment leaders on the question were of
the same character. There was a
general disposition on the part of the
Germans to placate and cultivate
America, also an apparent earnest de-
sire to live down the term "barbar-
ism." Only a small minority dis-
agreed with Ambassador Bernstorff's
note to America on the Arabie case.

CLEARFIELD BOY PROMOTED

Elmer Mann, formerly of this place
who has been connected with the Y.
M. C. A. at McKees Rocks for the past
four years has been appointed as-
sistant to Mr. Beck at Indiana. Mr.
Beck was secretary of the Clearfield
Y. M. C. A. for several years.

MOVES TO RENOVA

Miss Annie Wrigley, who for sev-
eral years has lived with her mother
on Walnut street, left today for Re-
nova where she expects to make her
home with her brother, Alexander
Wrigley. Her mother, Mrs. J. K.
Wrigley, will join them in a few days.

VICTIM OF AUTO SMASH RECOVERING RAPIDLY

Clair Kline who was in an automo-
bile accident a couple weeks ago is
recovering rapidly and is able to get
around the house unaided.

DRIVING PARTY

Miss Annie Mitchell gave a driving
party to some of her friends today.
They drove to Olanta and had dinner
at Bloom's boarding house.

ENTERTAINS MISSIONARY

Mrs. H. R. Bender entertained the
Woman's Foreign Missionary society
of the Methodist church this after-
noon at her home on Second street.

HOLD SOCIAL

A. H. Woodward's Sunday school
class will hold its social this evening
in the Methodist church.

ENTERTAINS AT LUNCHEON

Miss Margaret Wrigley entertained
at luncheon today at her home on
Front street.

Clarence Cole, of Potter county, is
visiting at the home of his sister Mrs.
H. J. Fiegall.

Mrs. W. C. Andrews, of Philipsburg
was shopping in Clearfield today.

Mrs. George Miller, of Johnsonburg
is visiting at the home of her sister
on Fourth street.

Mrs. J. A. Dutra, of LaJesse re-
turned to her home in Clearfield last
evening having been called on ac-
count of the illness of her niece Miss
Winifred McDivitt.

MOTORISTS HURT IN AUTO CRASH AT CALLAHAN FARM

Gramplan Pupils Returning Home
From School Yesterday
Hit Unknown Car.

Cause of Accident Not Known—Sup-
position is That Steering Wheel Be-
came Uncontrollable—One Nose
Broken and Other Bruises and In-
juries to Several.

Yesterday afternoon about 4:45 a
Ford belonging to M. W. Wood, of
Gramplan, containing 6 passengers,
was struck by a Buick from Curwens-
ville, at Callahan's farm at Centre.
One of the passengers in the Buick
had his nose broken and another being
badly bruised. Both cars were badly
damaged, the Buick beyond immediate
repairs.

Iver Wood who was driving the
Ford was returning from school in
Clearfield to his home in Gramplan,
having with him four girls and one
boy all of whom go to school in town.
It is not known exactly how the ac-
cident happened, but it is thought that
something went wrong with the steer-
ing wheel of the Buick, causing it to
swerve to the left striking the Ford.
Wood's car was the least damaged of
the two, having one tire cut, the left
fender bent, and the front axle
sprung. The other car was badly
damaged and was left standing on
the side of the road until today. The
left front wheel was smashed, the
axle and radius rod bent, the wind
shield smashed, and the steering
wheel broken.

Another supposition that the driver
of the Buick whose identity was un-
known had been drinking and lost
control of the machine.

OUR DAILY BIRTHDAY PARTY.

Mrs. Russell Sage, eminent philan-
thropist, born at Syracuse, N. Y., 87
years ago today.

Bertha Kalich, celebrated actress,
born in Lemberg, Galicia, 41 years
ago today.

Robert A. Taft, son of former Pres-
ident William H. Taft, born 26 years
ago today.

George B. McGinty, secretary of
the Interstate Commerce Commission,
born in Monroe County, Ga., 37 years
ago today.

Rt. Rev. Charles P. Anderson, Epis-
copal bishop of Chicago, born at
Kempville, Can., 52 years ago today.

Henry A. Cooper, representative in
congress of the First Wisconsin dis-
trict, born in Walworth, County, Ill.,
65 years ago today.

James V. McClintic, representative
in congress of the Seventh Oklahoma
district, born near Bremond, Texas,
37 years ago today.

Walter R. Cox, one of the best
known of American harness race
drivers, born at Eprom, N. H., 44
years ago today.

David Bancroft, shortstop of the
Philadelphia National league base ball
team, born in Chicago, 25 years ago
today.

DAILY LESSON IN HISTORY

One Hundred Years Ago Today
1815—Alexander Ramsey, ter-
ritorial and state governor of
Minnesota, U. S. Senator and
secretary of war in President
Hayes' cabinet, born near Har-
risburg, Pa. Died in St. Paul,
April 22, 1903.

Seventy-five Years Ago Today
1840—The Harrison-Van Buren
contest for the presidency reach-
ed a stage of intense excitement
and fierce controversies.

Fifty Years Ago Today
1865—Pierre Choteau, a fa-
mous pioneer fur trader, whose
trading posts extended from
Texas to Minnesota and as far
northwest as the Blackfoot coun-
try, died in St. Louis. Born there
in 1788.

Twenty-five Years Ago Today
1890—A convention to frame a
new constitution for Kentucky
met at Frankfort.

WAR NEWS OF ONE YEAR AGO TODAY.

British cross the Marne. Ger-
mans retreat 25 miles. Believed
success of allies in checking
Germans greater than war office
announcements indicate.

Berlin reports Maubeuge taken
with 40,000 prisoners. Bordeaux
dispatch denies.
St. Petersburg reports Rus-
sian Poland free of Austrians.

The Kaiser has sent a protest
to President Wilson against the
participation of the Belgium peo-
ple in the war and a statement of
regret at the destruction of in-
teresting places. Declares the
English are using dum-dum bul-
lets.

WASHINGTON WIGWAGS

Residents in the vicinity of
Stratford Shoal, New York, prob-
ably will not be pleased to learn
that the government has just
\$6000 making the foghorn at that
point much louder.

The commerce department says
the Temple of Agriculture
grounds at Peking, China are be-
ing transformed into a beautiful
park with tennis courts and lil-
y ponds. The ponds are for the
balls to go into.

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have arrived at Hong Kong on
their dash to South China via San
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ing made of solidified glue. All
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plumbing, stick it in and charge
extra for the new idea.

Subscribe for The Progress.

PROMINENCE OF LOCAL FOOTBALL SPREADING RAPIDLY

Numerous Mention in The
Spaulding Rule Book for
Next Spring

Contains Picture of Last Years Team
Together With Scores and Mention
of Fact That Local Team Won
County Championship Last Year by
Beating DuBois.

That the Clearfield high school foot-
ball team is gaining prominence in
athletic circles is forcibly shown by
the numerous mentions it has receiv-
ed in the Spaulding official rule book
and foot ball guide which has just
been issued.

This spring's edition of the Spauld-
ing book has not been put on the
local market and many of the fans
are not yet aware of the increasing
attention that the Clearfield team is
gaining in the state.

Besides a picture of last year's regu-
lar team which is shown in a prom-
inent place among other star teams the
rule book gives the scores of all the
games which the local team played
last year and the opponents in each
game.

Among the high notes it mentions
the fact that the Clearfield team won
the championship of the county for
the first time in history by defeating
the widely known DuBois team at a
game on the home grounds, where one
of the largest foot ball crowds in the
history of the school gathered to
watch the slaughter.

The foot ball season for the home
team opens on Saturday, September
18, when the team will play its first
game at home. It is not known at
present who the opponent for this
game will be it is understood that the
manager is making efforts to secure
a team that will give the fellows a
good fight and start the coming
season off with a vim that will create
a lasting interest in the game this fall.

The entire schedule for the season
will be completed in a few days. It
promises to be one of the very best.
Already hints of some big games have
leaked out through numerous other
papers of the state when the Clear-
field high school's name was mention-
ed in giving the schedules of such
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liamsport.

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THE WAR ONE YEAR AGO TODAY.

September 8, 1914—The Ger-
mans occupied Melle, Belgium;
Russians defeated the Austrians
in great battle at Rawaraska,
Galicia; the Czar declared Galicia
a Russian province; the allies ac-
celerated the German retreat
from the Marne, capturing many
German prisoners and guns;
President Wilson proclaimed Oc-
tober 4 as a day of prayer for
peace.

PUNXSUTAWNEY WANTS TO OWN HER WATER SUPPLY

E. W. Hess Preparing Estimates for
Borough to Submit to P. S.
Commission

borough engineer, has
been retained by the town authorities
at Punxsutawney to prepare estimates
and other information for submission
to the public service commission in
the borough's effort to obtain permis-
sion to install a municipal water sys-
tem.

Punxsutawney is dissatisfied with
her water service, and wants to put
in a plant of her own. Her water
supply is bad, and expensive in com-
parison with Clearfield's splendid and
cheap service.

VON TIRPITZ IS NOT TO DESIGN PLACE IN NAVY

Kaiser's Chief Murderer to Retain His
Portfolio

(By United Press)
Berlin, Sept. 8. The rumors that
Grand Admiral Von Tirpitz con-
templates resigning are untrue. He has
been on a short vacation but will soon
return. The German foreign office
has as yet received any repre-
sentations from America formally or
otherwise concerning the Hesperian
incident. In the absence of reports
from its submarine commander, the
government is exceedingly reticent.

CHICKEN AND WAFFLE SUPPER AT ROSE HOUSE

Chicken and waffle supper will be
held at No. 1 hose house Wednesday
September 15. The supper will be
served by the ladies auxiliary. Sup-
per 35 cents, ice cream and cake ex-
tra. Everyone is invited to come and
help the firemen.

GEORGE M. BILGER FILES A BANKRUPTCY PETITION

Clearfield Man Seeks Federal Court
in Pittsburg

Pittsburg, Sept. 8.—George M. Bil-
ger, of Clearfield today filed a pe-
tition in bankruptcy in the federal
court here.

CARDIFF MINERS AGAIN ON STRIKE—FOR THIRD TIME

(By United Press)
Cardiff, Wales, September 8.—For
the third time since the war began, a
strike was called in the South Wales
coal district today. About 3,500 min-
ers in two collieries quit work at or-
ders from their leaders, protesting
against the employment of no-union
miners.

BRITISH LABOR PLEDGES ITS SUPPORT TO THE GOVT.

(By United Press)
Bristol, Sept. 8.—Resolutions pledg-
ing the utmost assistance by British
laborers to the British government in
the prosecution of the war, were
adopted by the National Trade Union
congress here today by a vote of 600
to 7.

W. C. T. U. TO MEET

There will be an important meet-
ing of the W. C. T. U. at the Y. M.
C. A. Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock
when a report of the recent con-
vention at Osceola Mills will be read.

"INFLAMMABLES, SAFE HANDLING TALK TOMORROW"

Col. Dunn of Bureau of Explosives
Will Give Illus-
trated Lecture.

Affair at Y. M. C. A. Will be
Held For Railroad Men—Will
Discuss Dangerous Methods of Handling
Explosive Goods.

An illustrated lecture of future
railroad men will be given in the
Y. M. C. A. auditorium tomorrow
morning on the safe handling and
transportation of explosives. Col. Du-
nn, the bureau of explosives will
and use stereopticon views to
trape his talk.

The lecture is primarily a
roadside and tickets will be given
all the railroaders who wish to at-
tend. Ticket may also be obtained by
any others interested in the subject
at the Y. M. C. A. station of the Y. M.
C. A. tomorrow.

The bureau of explosives in an-
ticipation of the new rules and
regulations follows by the railroad
companies in the handling of explo-
sives or inflammable goods.

The lecture will show the danger-
ous methods which can be applied
to the moving of such materials and
point out ways to avoid such un-
necessary danger.

FORMER CLEARFIELD MAN IS KILLED IN AUTO ACCIDENT

Harry Albright's Machine Flung
Over A 90-Foot Embankment

Harry Albright, of Tyrone, a sum-
mer resident of Clearfield, was in-
stantly killed three miles north of
Tyrone last Monday when his auto-
mobile became unmanageable, plunged
through a wire fence and over a 90-
foot embankment.

Albright's neck was broken. His
friends found him at the bottom of
the embankment. No explanation is
given of the accident, but it is as-
sumed that the steering gear of the
car broke, causing it to go over the
road before the driver could bring it
to a stop.

Albright lived in Clearfield for
some years, and was a member of the
firm of Albright Bros., grocers. He
had many friends, here who will be
grieved to learn of his untimely death.
He was 47 years old, and was a well
known carrier out of Tyrone at the time of
his death.

W. C. T. U. ELECTS OFFICERS FOR COUNTY ORGANIZATION

Mrs. Lillian N. Trumble Named Presi-
dent for the Coming Year

At the 30th annual convention of the
Women's Christian Temperance Union
of Clearfield county, which closed at
Osceola Mills on September 3, the fol-
lowing officers were elected for the
ensuing year:

President, Mrs. Lillian N. Trumble;
Vice-President, Mrs. E. J. Benton;
Cor. Sec., Mrs. Hallam Gorman; Res.
Sec., Mrs. Harry Smith; Treasurer,
Mrs. Mary McNaull.

The next county convention will be
held at Mahaffey. At the county
convention there were 50 delegates
from all sections of the county, and
the event was honored by a presence
of the state president, Mrs. George
who spoke on Friday on "Home Pro-
tection."

ARABIC ASSASSIN HAS RETURNED TO HIS BASE

Commander Declares He Sent Arab
to Prevent Own Destruction

Amsterdam, Sept. 8.—The subma-
rine that sunk the Arabie has re-
turned to her base and has reported
that she torpedoed the liner to pre-
vent possible destruction, according
to dispatches received here from Ber-
lin today.

Liverpool reports and advice to
the state department at Washing-
ton have indicated that the U-boat
sunk the Arabie on August 2nd and
either sunk or captured by the British
though the reports have not been con-
firmed by the British admiralty.

U. S. Department of Agriculture Weather Bureau

Washington, D. C., September 7

Weekly Weather Forecast

For week beginning, Wednesday,
September 8, 1915

For Middle Atlantic States
Local showers, Wednesday and
probably Thursday will be followed
by fair and pleasant weather until
the 13th or 14th, when there is a
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Strength of Clearfield by Carrier and R

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THE CLEARFIELD PROGRESS

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WEDNESDAY EVENING

THE WISE MID

In finally yielding to the pressure of the W. seemed to show a strain. The fact that war with the possibility. No doubt the Kaiser's long-credulous ad- at last came to see this. They may have dreaded the economic results of such a war, or they may have feared the consequences of the whole world's disapproval of their policy of submarine attack on passenger ships without warning or the safeguarding of the non-combatants on board, or they may have voluntarily reached the same conclusion that what was being gained was immeasurably less valuable than what was being lost. However that may be, the policy itself was one which the ancient Greeks would have truly described as "an astonishment and a hissing," and the fact that it should ever have been inaugurated is less amazing only than the fact that it was continued in so long.

In such a crisis what a nation needs is not passion and bluster, not the disposition to yield rather than in- the costs of resistance, but calm courage, quiet per- sistance, invincible determination that is not brought under suspicion by a too spectacular beating of drums—in short, a stout heart and a level head. What ever his faults or his failures in other particulars, the country has been fortunate to possess all this in President Wilson, and generous indeed is his political opponent in domestic affairs who is unwilling to concede the value of his service in the international crisis through which we now appear to have safely passed.

A ROYAL FRIEND OF LOVERS

While so many of the monarchs of Europe are serving Mars, King Alfonso of Spain is busy himself serving Cupid, and lovers by thousands are blessing his name in consequence. According to a translation from a Barcelona newspaper, it began with the appeal of a French lady whose efforts to get news of her soldier-lover by way of Berlin and Vienna had repeatedly failed. Turning at last to King Alfonso because she knew him to be "generous, young and affectionate" and "married for love," she asked his aid as king of the land of chivalry and the greatest hidalgo of Castile.

Alfonso read the letter with sympathy, then instructed his ambassadors at Berlin and Vienna to make inquiries, and soon he was able to inform the distressed lady of her fiancé, after being captured at Ypres, was in- at Leipzig, where she could address him. The grateful lady sounded the praises of the royal friend of lovers, the story was widely published, and appeal of the was sent began to reach the King of Spain from many parts of France, Belgium, and even Russia and England. Then the applications arrived by thousands and the king found it necessary to employ "a competent staff of sort- and polyglot correspondents," no less than 13,750 let- having received attention by the end of July. Though is not playing what can be called a heroic part in the making of new European history, the amiable young King of Spain may be said to be better employed than several other monarchs in that part of the world.

Yesterday's news that the Hesperian carried a rifle on her stern, while in a sense trivial, effectively shows of this country's interest in the sinking of the ship, whether she carried passengers or not. Even in the tremendous crisis, when many phases of what we are pleased to term international law are being turned and twisted to meet conditions which were not dreamed of when the usages upon which the present understanding between nations was framed, we must be guided by the cardinal principles of that understanding, and none of them is so definite and pronounced as that section dealing with the rights of merchant vessels of belligerent nations, and when merchant's vessels become a part of the offensive and defensive machinery of a nation at

many had every right to sink the Hesperian, as Consul Frost has made no mistake in his re- state department concerning her, and while it is in a sense deplorable, Americans have cause to be thankful that the incident will not serve further to in- the strain between ourselves and Germany, which is being increased by the Kaiser's changed attitude.

RABID



Henshaw enumerates more than 100 kinds of game birds common to this country's preserves, among which are 37 kinds of ducks, eight kinds of geese, eight kinds of quail and five kinds of grouse. While America's preserves are distinguished among the hunting fields of the world for their wealth of game, the writer shows that they are hunted with dangerous thoroughness. He says:

"America has always been a paradise for sportsmen, but of late years the number of those whose chief relaxation is the pursuit of game has greatly increased, and today there are probably not far from five millions who are interested in the pursuit of game! That this army of five million hunters means to the large and small game of America can better be imagined than described! Modern guns and ammunitions are of the very best, and they are sold at prices so low as to be within reach of all. Added to these very efficient weapons for killing small game, are innumerable devices for killing waterfowl, as sneak-boats, punt-guns, swivel-guns, sail-boats, steam-launches, night-floating, night lighting and others."

The varieties of American game duck given by Mr. Henshaw are bald-pate, Barrow's golden-eye, black, buff-head, king, Pacific, spectacled and Steller's eider, fulvous tree-duck, mallard, merganser, red-head, pin-tail, scaup, scoter, canvas-back, shoveller, and teal. Of canvas-back, he says:

"The canvas-back, perhaps the most famous of American waterfowl, has purchased its fame at a price. So highly is it prized by the epicure that today he who can afford to dine on canvas-back sets the mark of luxurious living. Not that the canvas-back differs essentially from other ducks, but its exceptional flavor is due to the fact that its favorite food is 'wild celery,' a long ribbon-like grass which grows in shallow ponds and estuaries. As the plant roots several feet under the surface, only the diving ducks can secure it and the plebeian kinds have to be content with such floating fragments as they can pick up or can steal from their more aristocratic relatives. In Oregon and Washington, the canvas-back lives much upon wapato, a bulb-like root formerly a staple article of food among many Indian tribes, and their exceptional flavor is said to be little, if any, inferior to that of the celery-fed canvas-back of the east. Prized alike by sportsmen and by epicure the ranks of the canvas-back have been

Despite this country's present vast wealth in game birds, according to the writer, they would soon be shot away but for proper protection. As it is, he continues, the numbers of game birds today are quite insignificant when compared to the abundance of former days. Destruction of former breeding places by drainage and, more especially, the relentless pursuit with firearms, are the causes assigned for the falling off of supply. Mr. Henshaw writes:

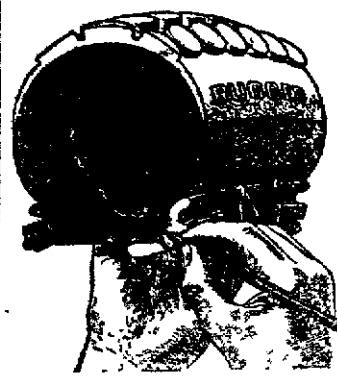
"The statements of the early chroniclers regarding the multitudes of ducks, plover, and wild pigeons almost defy belief. When, in the records of the first part of the last century, one reads of clouds of pigeons that required three days to pass a given point in a continuous stream, and again flocks estimated to contain more than two billion birds, credulity is taxed to the limit. Yet not only one such flock was observed but they were of periodic occurrence during many years of our early history, and the accounts of them are too well attested to be doubted. As throwing a curious sidelight on the abundance of wild fowl and the hardships to which the slaves of the period were subjected, I quote from Grinnel, who states that 'in early days slave owners, who hired out their slaves, stipulated in the contract that canvas-back ducks should not be fed to them more than twice each week!'"

A high money value is placed on our game resources. Mr. Henshaw states that Oregon values her game birds, at \$5,000,000 a year, while California and Maine each claim their game to be worth \$20,000,000 a year, which suggests the enormous aggregate value of the country's game. Mr. Henshaw's communication with an expression of the belief that the country should do all in their power to protect and to bring about a right-ful use this rich heritage.

GOLF TOURNEY AT MONTGOMERY.

Montgomery, Sept. 8.—Many leading gold players of Alabama assembled on the links of the Montgomery Country Club today for the opening of the first annual tournament of the state association. Play was begun with a qualifying round, 18 holes, medal play, and will be continued until the finals are reached Saturday.

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RUSSIANS TO FAST THREE DAYS.

Petrograd, Sept. 8.—With unusual fervor and religious enthusiasm the people of Russia today observed the anniversary of their country's liberation from the invader, Tamerlane, the Mongol leader, who made his way at the head of his armies almost to Moscow in 1395, visiting unusual cruelties upon the people. The customary church observance was given added significance by the present war and a decree of the Holy Synod fixing the day for the beginning of a three days' fast by high and low throughout the empire. All theatrical performances and other entertainments have been prohibited during period of the fast, although work is to continue as usual.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH HAS NEW COLLEGE.

Auburn, Ga., Sept. 8.—The new educational college established here by the Christian Church was opened to students today. The institution is the only one of its kind belonging to the Christian Church in the southeast, and its founders predict a great future for it. The College has taken over the buildings formerly used by the Perry-Rainey institute. The Rev. John H. Wood, of Atlanta, has been chosen president of the college.

PLAN TO WIPE OUT ALL WET SPOTS.

Minneapolis, Sept. 8.—With more than three-fourths of the state now under prohibition, a state-wide conference of dry workers assembled here today to perfect a plan of campaign to convert the few remaining wet counties in Minnesota. Special attention is to be given to Hennepin County, which includes the city of Minneapolis and in which a special election on the saloon question is soon to be held.

PROPOSALS WANTED.

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the Commissioners of Clearfield County, at their office in the Court House, Clearfield, Pennsylvania, until 10:30 o'clock A. M., Friday, September 10th, 1915, for cleaning and repainting exterior of the Court House, per specifications now on file in the office of the county Commissioners. Proposals will be required to conform thereto, and be accompanied by a certified check to amount of Twenty-Five (\$25.00) Dollars, made payable to Clearfield County, as security that the bidder will enter into contract to perform the work in case same is awarded to him. Proposals will be publicly opened at the Commissioners' Office at 11:30 o'clock the same day.

The successful bidder will be required to execute bond in a sum equal to the bid, for the faithful performance of the contract.

The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

By the order of the County Commissioners.

W. C. LANGSFORD

J. S. RICHARDS

H. L. BOWMAN

L. C. NORRIS, Clerk.

Dated August 25th, 1915.

WISCONSIN M. E. CONFERENCE.

Racine, Sept. 8.—Two hundred ministers and an equal number of lay delegates came to Racine today for the annual session of the Wisconsin Methodist Episcopal conference. Beginning with a welcome meeting attended by the early arrivals last night, the regular business of the conference was taken up this morning. Rev. S. H. Anderson, of Milwaukee delivered the memorial sermon. The business sessions of the conference will continue until Monday and will be presided over by Bishop Luther B. Wilson.

Advice on Financial Matters

The officers of the County National Bank are glad to give customers the benefit of their experience. Their business knowledge has been gained in caring for the banking needs of thousands of depositors for many years.

They will gladly advise clients on business or on investments. You are invited to consult them.

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SLAYER OF LITTLE GIRL TO HANG.

Sacramento, Sept. 8.—David Fountain, the murderer of 12-year-old Margaret Milling, will pay the penalty for his crime on the gallows at Folsom Prison next Friday, unless saved by an eleventh-hour reprieve. The murder occurred in the early part of this year and attracted country-wide attention at the time. The scene of the crime was the basement of the German Lutheran Church in this city, of which Fountain was the janitor. The little victim had gone to the church alone to arrange some decorations for a Sunday school festival, when she was attacked and slain by the janitor. Following the discovery of the body a confession of the crime. Efforts have been made to save him from the gallows on the ground that he had once been confined in an insane asylum in Iowa.

MRS. SAGE 87 YEARS OLD.

New York, Sept. 8.—Mrs. Russell Sage, who has been spending the summer at her cottage at Lawrence, L. I., was the recipient today of an almost countless number of parcels and messages. Most of the parcels contained flowers and the messages were for the most part congratulations upon her eighty-seventh birthday. Mrs. Sage is in good health and remarkably vigorous for a woman of her age. Except for a short vacation period in the summer she spends a large part of each day in giving her personal attention to the management of her extensive estate and in aid of which she is devoting the millions left by the late financier.

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WANTED—Position in office or as clerk by young man 17 years old. Have completed three year high school course. Address "Position," care of Progress office. tf.

WANTED—Position doing general house work. Have had good experience and training. Elizabeth Braniff, 615 Merrill St.

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WANTED—Young man. Dooley Stewart Drug Store. S 7-8.

WANTED—Apprentice girls in millinery department at A. W. Leonardson's. A 31-tf.

WANTED—Girl for general house work. Apply to Mr. R. M. Reed, West Market street. 4-3t.

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FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms, suitable for light housekeeping. Apply 406 South Second street.

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FOR SALE—A canoe. Apply to Preston Knight or Don Livingston. 3t

ANNOUNCEMENTS

(State five cents per line per insertion. No reduction for name.)

Prothonotary
We are authorized to announce **JOHN H. MOORE**, of Clearfield, as a candidate for prothonotary, subject to the rules of the Republican primary election. 6-11-tf

Register and Recorder
We are authorized to announce **ED. B. CHASE**, of Clearfield, as a candidate for Register and Recorder, subject to the rules of the Republican primary election. 6-10-tf

Register and Recorder
We are authorized to announce **TONE EVANS**, of DuBois, as a candidate for Register and Recorder, subject to the rules of the Republican primary election. 6-7-tf

County Commissioner
We are authorized to announce **OLIVER S. McCLOSKEY**, of Clearfield, as a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the rules of the Republican primary election. 4-1-tf

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER
We are authorized to announce **WM. M. TEMPLETON**, as a candidate for County Commissioner, of Lawrence township, subject to the rules of the Republican primary election. P. O. Address, Hyattsville, Pa.

PROTHONOTARY
We are authorized to announce **JAMES M. MALLAHER**, of Clearfield, as a candidate for Prothonotary, subject to the rules of the Republican primary election. 6-1-tf

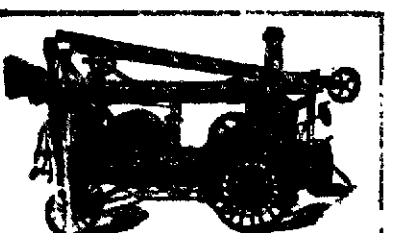
County Commissioner
We are authorized to announce **H. N. SPENCER**, of DuBois, as a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the rules of the Republican primary election. 6-1-e. o. d.

For County Commissioner
We are authorized to announce **FRANK H. McCULLY**, of Osceola Mills, as a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the rules of the Republican primary election. e. o. d. 6-7

County Commissioner
We are authorized to announce **HAIRY L. JONES**, of Kyrle, as a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the rules of the Republican primary election. e. o. d.

County Treasurer
We are authorized to announce **A. Y. KLINE**, of Clearfield, as a candidate for County Treasurer, subject to the rules of the Republican primary election. West and Sun.

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WONDERFUL GAINS AGAINST TYPHUS IN SERBIA REPORTED

Epidemic Entirely Exterminated By First of September By American Workers

Encountered by Doctors and Assistants Through Lack of Proper Transportation Through the Country—Sanitary Missions Established.

BY HENRY WOOD
(United Press Staff Correspondent)
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Nish, Serbia, Aug. 4 (By Mail).—From 100,000 cases of typhus to 600 and from a maximum mortality of 70 per cent. to one of 20—all within the space of three months is the record of the American Red Cross and Rockefeller Institute Sanitary mission sent here to save the Serbian nation from the epidemic that was threatening its actual existence.

By September 1, Serbia will be entirely free of the plague.

The full story of the most remarkable humanitarian task ever undertaken by the United States was today told for the first time in an interview granted to the United Press by Dr. Richard P. Strong, professor of tropical diseases at Harvard university, and head of the American mission. The interview took place in the little third class railway car, which fitted out with beds, one part and a shower bath in the other, and with a flat car attached behind for carrying his automobile and another car in front for members of his immediate staff, has been practically the only home Dr. Strong has known in Serbia. Almost every night of the three months campaign has been spent by him aboard the car hurrying from one end of Serbia to the other in the fight against the deadly plague.

"The typhus epidemic in Serbia," stated Dr. Strong, "began last January in the vicinity of Valjevo, following the Austrian invasion of the month before, and spread with such rapidity that it became the greatest epidemic of that disease recorded in modern medical annals. The epidemic reached its height in the middle of April just as the American mission arrived. New cases then numbered 8,600 daily, but it must be remembered that these were the figures only of the victims who came to the military hospitals. Serbia had not been able even to keep statistics of the victims among the civil population and so the above figures give, as a matter of fact, no accurate idea of the extent of the epidemic.

"In fact, few figures of any kind are to be had, but presumably the total deaths from the epidemic have been about 100,000 and the number of victims down with the disease at the time we took charge was very likely of equal magnitude.

"As such an epidemic of typhus never before had occurred in the history of modern medicine, I freely confess that it was with no little concern we first arrived here. A quick survey of the situation convinced me, however, that with effective organization the plague could be wiped out and in four months. I am still confident that when the four months are entirely past, the last of the 600 cases still remaining will have disappeared.

"Following preliminary organization of national sanitary board, something Serbia had not had, and the division of the country into sanitary districts, we at once went after the practical end of the work—namely the chasing down and extermination of the louse from whose bite alone disease is transmitted.

"As the quickest means of reaching the greatest number of the stricken population in the shortest possible time, we had two refrigerator cars placed at our disposal. In one of was fitted the necessary appliance for the disinfecting of clothing by heavy steam pressure and its immediate drying afterwards. In the second car was fitted the necessary appliance for a disinfecting bath of the victims.

"With the arrival of the car at each town, a tent was at once pitched by the side of the railroad in which the population could undress. They then entered the first car where they left their clothing for disinfection and passed immediately into the second car for the disinfection of their bodies. Only ten minutes were required for joint operation at the end of which time each person was given back his clothing dried and ready to put on; with the absolute assurance that no single louse or nit remained.

"Our average speed was 500 to 600 miles in the three and a half months we have had the cars in operation. More than 600,000 persons have been reached in this manner.

"Unfortunately railway communication in Serbia is very limited and the reaching of the population in the interior presented a different problem. Individual sanitary missions were therefore sent to each important town traveling in military automobiles, on carriages, and frequently having their supplies carried by ox carts. Disinfecting and bathing plants were then

established in each big center of population and same process of extermination carried on.

Where the Serbian government had funds at its disposal these plants were erected at its expense, but where it did not, we paid for them ourselves. A total of 53 plants were thus installed by us and they constitute a permanent part of Serbia's equipment for fighting a similar situation should it ever come again.

"The next most important phase of the work was our sanitary assault on the military hospitals. These form the store had been the most prolific centers for the spreading of the disease. They were at all times congested to the limit with wounded or sick soldiers, whose infected clothing quickly spread the disease to almost every inmate.

"In attacking the hospitals we took with us portable bath tubs and had at our disposition the Austrian prisoners, to give the sick and wounded their disinfecting baths. While they were doing this we put their clothing and bedding through the steam process and then wound up by disinfecting the entire building with sulphur and often even white washing the walls. Of the 113 military hospitals in Serbia, fully 100 passed through this sanitary regeneration at our hands.

"Still another most important phase of the work was the visiting of every house almost in the entire kingdom and separating the diseased from the well. The quarantining of the infected persons was something which the local authorities had not been able to undertake, but under our direction it was quickly and thoroughly carried out.

"While we were hard at work on this extermination of typhus we also had our eyes constantly on the lookout for cholera and typhoid. None of the former was found, but the latter was abundant. Against this, and against the former too, we therefore prepared in our own laboratories which we had established in the old Turkish town of Uskub, a combined serum against cholera, typhoid and paratyphoid. This was prepared in such a manner that two injections were sufficient and thus it was possible to administer it to both the army and the civil population with a minimum of labor. For this task of vaccination we had our own vaccinating car which covered all the territory that could be reached by rail, and we also furnished the serum to the French surgeons here who undertook its administration in the army.

"In connection with this laboratory work, we started from the very first on a search for the typhus germ but up to the present moment complete success has not crowned our efforts. The organism discovered by Dr. Plotz at Mt. Sinai hospital New York, has not yet been found here by us, but with the aid of cultures which he has placed at our disposition complete success may yet crown this end of the work. It is being actively pushed by Dr. Zinsser, of Columbia, and Dr. Sclavars, of Harvard.

"One of the most happy features of the whole work was the manner in which we ourselves, after the terrible experiences of the Serbian and American Red Cross units kept free from the disease. Not one of the 54 men comprising our mission fell a victim. But naturally we had at our disposition all of the latest possible preventions. Every doctor assigned to hard work amongst the victims wore a vermin proof suit, rubber gloves and adhesive bands above the wrists and ankles. We have not been able to demonstrate that the disease is contagious and in fact there seems no reason to believe that it is transmitted otherwise than by the bite of infected vermin.

"Thus by the middle of August I think I will be able to guarantee that typhus will be a thing of the past in Serbia. Not only that, but we would be greatly disappointed if it ever came again. But still even in this latter case, Serbia now has at its disposition all of the facilities necessary for speedily combating any outbreak.

"Naturally our success was only possible through the most hearty cooperation of every man composing the mission, and this has been one of the two bright spots of the entire task. There was not a man who ever shirked or even objected to any task assigned him no matter how disagreeable or even how dangerous it might be.

"The other bright spot which stands out most vividly was the unflinching kindness of Sir Thomas Lipton to the members of the mission. Not only did he cheer us up with words at every moment when cheer was most needed but his unending efforts to furnish the members of the mission with little adds and ends for their material comfort gave evidence of a kindly consideration of others such as I have never before met.

"As a result of our four months work here, I think I can safely say that Serbia is a regenerated nation from a sanitary point of view and the effects of this I feel certain will be reflected in her national life and development for years to come."

U-BOATS FAR AFIELD

(By United Press)
Berlin, September 8.—The German navy has been ordered to keep a sharp look-out for British cruisers west of the British coast and to attack them as they are seen to have been sunk several days later, the navy announced this afternoon.

ANNIVERSARY OF GALVESTON FLOOD.

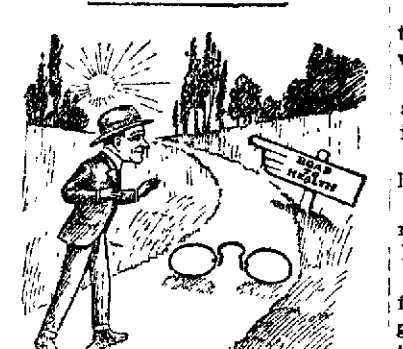
Galveston, Sept. 8.—Fifteen years ago today occurred the great Gulf storm and flood which almost wiped Galveston off the map and destroyed hundreds of lives and millions of dollars worth of property. Only a few weeks ago the city was threatened with a similar catastrophe, but was protected from the elements by the great sea wall which was built to prevent a recurrence of the disaster of September 8, 1900. The sea wall was built at a cost of \$3,500,000, which was contributed jointly by the city and County of Galveston and the United States government. Another wonderful piece of work which was done as the result of the great storm of 1900 is the causeway, a mammoth structure of concrete, steel and earth which spans Galveston Bay and forms a highway for the trade and travel of Galveston.

TO DISCUSS IMPORTANT SUBJECTS.

Toledo, Sept. 8.—Important subjects are to be considered at the meeting of the National Industrial Traffic League which will begin a two-days' session in this city tomorrow. A proposed amendment to the law or rules of practice of the Interstate Commerce Commission so as to give litigants the right to review the findings of examiners and file exceptions and objections, prior to decision by the commission, is one of the leading subjects slated for discussion. Interstate Commerce Commissioner E. E. Clark will address the league at a banquet tomorrow night.

BACHELORS TO GREET OHIO BEAUTIES.

Minneapolis, Sept. 8.—When the six most beautiful young women of Ohio arrive here tomorrow they will be greeted by half a dozen handsome bachelors of Minneapolis. The Buckeye state beauties were selected in a competitive contest as members of a party to visit the California expositions. When it became known that they would stop off for a day in this city the Minneapolis Civic and Commerce Association suggested the plan to make a collective lineup of bachelor beauty that would impress the fair Ohio visitors.



In the Road to Health

You may be stopped through poor eyesight; a good many troubles come from the eyes, and if they are not exactly right, they should be attended to at once. Delay in this direction is often dangerous. Drop in and let us advise you about glasses; whether you need them or not, and if you do, what kind are necessary.

Our optician is a graduate of the optical department of McCormick Neurological College, Chicago, Illinois.

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CLEARFIELD NATIONAL BANK
Clearfield, Pa.
Condensed from its report to the
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September 2, 1915

RESOURCES:
Loans and Discounts \$879,110.64
Overdrafts 405.97
United States Bonds 201,000.00
Bonds, Securities, etc. 242,675.00
Bank Building 49,642.79
Due from Banks 97,089.23
Cash on hand 71,745.30
Total \$1,541,668.93

LIABILITIES:
Due Depositors \$915,237.62
Due to Banks 216.12
Dividends unpaid 193.00
Circulation 197,300.00
Undivided profits 28,717.19
Surplus Fund 200,000.00
Capital Stock 200,000.00
Total \$1,541,668.93

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NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS & ITEMS

OSCEOLA MILLS

The funeral services of the late John O'Neill, Sr., were held September 4 and were largely attended. Among the out of town persons who were present were John Anderson, of Tyrone, Hon. C. H. Rowland, Robert Rickert, John Hallenback and Charles Craft of Phillipsburg, Nelson King of Morrisdale, Neil Dougherty, of Houtdale and J. L. Reeve, of Bel Air, Md.

The members of Columbia Fire Co., the A. O. of Hibernians and the employees of Weston Colliery attended in a body. The many beautiful flowers were an evidence of the esteem in which he was held by his many friends.

All the mines of the Moshannon Coal Mining Co., of which the deceased was superintendent at the time of his death suspended operations for the day. Interment was made in the Catholic cemetery.

J. Lynn Boone, of Pittsburg, is visiting his parents here.

Miss Margaret Lewis returned on Saturday from a two weeks visit at Masontown.

Mrs. C. B. Wingate was a Tyrone visitor on Wednesday.

Rev. G. W. Evinhize, of Blue Bell was in town on Thursday.

Elbridge Hartman and wife came from Pittsburg on Wednesday in their Buick car on a visit to the family of his sister Mrs. Harry Brown. Elby as he is familiarly known was a former Osceola boy and is now an attorney in the smoky city.

Mrs. Carrie Richards is visiting friends at Lock Haven this week.

OLANTA

Miss Maude Creighton of Lock Haven is the guest of Miss Merna Cathcart.

Miss Mae Dunlap is visiting relatives in Beechereck.

Mrs. Mary Glenn and daughter Katherine have returned to their home in Altoona.

Chester Woods of DuBois, motored to the Read and Dunlap reunion last week.

The Lutheran Sunday school gave a picnic for their youngsters, Saturday in Cathcart grove.

Miss Mabel Shoff returned to her home in Clearfield Saturday.

L. C. Dunlap and family of Reynoldsville motored to the Read and Dunlap reunion.

Mrs. W. J. Freeman has returned from her trip to Canada; she was the guest of her granddaughter while there.

CONVENTION OF NEGRO BAPTISTS.

Chicago, Sept. 8.—Thousands of negro Baptists, representing nearly every state of the union, assembled in Chicago today for the thirty-fifth annual national convention of their denomination. With the Lincoln jubilee exposition as an added attraction, the attendance promises to surpass that at any of the previous conventions. Many noted leaders of the denomination, both lay and clerical, are scheduled to address the convention during its six days' sessions. At the close of the gathering hundreds of the delegates will join in a pilgrimage to the tomb of Lincoln at Springfield.

Statement of the COUNTY NATIONAL BANK, of Clearfield, Pa.

At the close of business Sept. 2, 1915.
(Condensed from its report to the Comptroller of the Currency.)

RESOURCES
Investments, less demand
loans \$3,026,101.52
Overdrafts 1,151.20
United States Bonds 510,820.00
Bonds, Securities, etc. 49,720.82
Due from United States
Treasurer 25,000.00

CASH RESOURCES
Cash on hand \$172,511.13
Due from
Banks 325,834.01
Demand Loans
on Collateral 176,248.25 674,593.39
Total \$4,287,186.93

LIABILITIES
Capital stock, \$500,000.00
Surplus and Net
Profit 656,755.63 1,156,755.63
Circulation 492,000.00
Due to banks 2,038.94
Dividends unpaid 126.87
Deposits 2,636,255.49
Total \$4,287,186.93

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FALL RACING IN KENTUCKY.

Lexington, Sept. 8.—Lexington is filled with horse owners, jockeys, other turf followers who have gathered here in anticipation of the opening tomorrow of the fall racing season in Kentucky. Officials at the local track predict one of the best meetings here in years. The horses come back to the autumn races thoroughly seasoned after the summer's campaign.

quality of the thoroughbred make the contention for and pursue unusually heavy gram provides for sixty-seven on each of the nine aggregate of the added money 500, an average of \$3,500 per horse.

H. E. Taylor of this place his parents at Grass Flat, Ky.

TENTH YEAR The Susquehanna College of Music Clearfield, Pennsylvania

Opens its tenth year September 7th in its fine new building, 308 Locust Street, with 5 teachers.

Besides Professor H. Clark Thayer, who as in the past will supervise the work in piano, voice, and theory departments we have Miss Martha Belle Hames, late of Chicago, piano; Marguerite Myers Paterson, principal, violin; Miss Maude Fletcher, elocution and expression, and Mr. George D. Thayer, teacher of piano tuning.

Our new building is centrally located with fine airy studios and a beautiful well arranged recital hall with grand piano, where frequent recitals will take place, affording pupils opportunity to hear good music as well as appear in public themselves, a great stimulus to conscientious work.

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Gossip for Tonight's Tea Table

Bois motored to Clearfield today.

The French club met with Mrs. James O'Laughlin yesterday.

H. Hinterlightner and J. W. Wetzel motored to Rossmore today.

H. C. McCloud had business in Tyrone yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Murray returned Monday evening from a four week's trip to Battle Creek, Mich., where Mr. Murray has been for his health.

Misses Judith Anderson and Hedvig Peterson returned last evening from a visit with relatives in Grass Flat.

Mrs. Allison Smith and Miss Smith will entertain at luncheon tomorrow at one o'clock.

Mrs. W. H. Hembold has issued invitations to a luncheon Friday at one o'clock at her home in Curwensville.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Patterson, William Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Cameron's new bungalow above Curwensville.

William Cosad left today for Kane. Mr. and Mrs. Axler and daughter returned last evening from Kane.

Mr. Dodds, of Warren, was a business caller in town today.

Mrs. George Vosburg, formerly Miss Jean Cole is visiting her sister Mrs. Lundergan in DuBois.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Whiteman entertained at the Country club Saturday evening.

Miss Florence Thorn, of Punxsutawney spent Sunday with her cousin Miss Gussie Thorn on Ogden avenue.

Kenneth Thorn returned Sunday from a visit with friends in Pittsburgh.

Mrs. John Martin, daughter Eleanor and son John Jr., returned Sunday evening from a two weeks visit with relatives in Pittsburgh.

Mrs. Johanna Nash left today for her future home in Kane, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. John Weimer wish to thank their friends for their kindness during the illness and death of their beloved baby daughter, Thelma Jane.

ADVERTISEMENT

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT SEALED BIDS will be received by the Town Council of Clearfield Borough at their office in Clearfield, until 7 o'clock p. m., Wednesday, Sept. 8th 1915 for the construction of a 4 x 4 ft RE-INFORCED CONCRETE CONDUIT

in the East End, Clearfield, Penna.

Proposals will be required to conform to plans and specifications on file at the office of the Town Council.

Bidders must deposit with the Secretary of the Town Council a certified check to the amount of Fifty Dollars (\$50.00) and payable to the Town Council, prior to the time when bids will be closed as a guarantee of good faith.

Checks of unsuccessful bidders will be returned to them after the bids have been opened.

Proposals will be publicly opened at the office of the Town Council at 8 o'clock, P. M. Wednesday, Sept. 16, A. D. 1915.

The successful bidder will be required to execute satisfactory bonds in a sum equal to the amount of his bid for the faithful performance of the contract.

THE TOWN COUNCIL RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ANY OR ALL BIDS.

By order of the Town Council, FRED B. KERR, President of Council

Attest: J. D. Connelly, Secretary of Council

HOBERT CALLAHAN, Chief Burgess

Dated, Sept. 7th, 1915 SS-10-13

CONDEMN CONSCRIPTION (By United Press)

Bristol, England, September 8.—Resolutions condemning compulsory enlistment in the British army were adopted by unanimous vote by today's session of the National Trade Union congress here.

Leitzinger Bros. Friendship-Making

The Pioneer Department Store of Clearfield, Pa.

Invites you to visit this store and inspect the new stock of
Autumn and Winter Merchandise

MAIN FLOOR: New Fall Dress Goods and Trimmings, Gloves, Hosiery and Neckwear, Men's Women's and Children's Shoes and Slippers, Gent's Furnishings, Men's and Boy's Sweaters and Bath Robes.

ANNEX: Fall and Winter Underwear for Women and Children, New Corsets, Ladies' and Children's Sweaters, Infants Apparel and Muslin Wear.

SECOND FLOOR: This department is showing fashions. Newest and best Ideas in Women's and Misses' Tailored Suits, Coats and Dresses. FURS--Coats, Neck Pieces and Muffs. Silk Petticoats. Children's Dresses of Serge, Percales and Gingham, and New and Stylish

MILLINERY

THIRD FLOOR: New Fall stock of Carpets, Rugs and Mattings, Blankets and Comforts, Brass and Iron Beds and Bedding.

FOURTH FLOOR: A new department--an entire floor of Good Dependable Furniture--Bed Room Suits, Dining Room and Kitchen Furniture

FIFTH FLOOR: This is the Toy Department, Porch Furniture and Fireless Cookers.

The Largest Stock of Merchandise to Select From at
LEITZINGER BROS.
The Big Store - - Clearfield, Pa.

ONE WEEK ONLY

The Best Range at the Right Price
The Aluminum Cooking Ware FREE



ONE CENT A MEAL FOR ONE YEAR.

In almost every house there are practically one thousand meals a year prepared on the stove. Many people hesitate about paying five or ten dollars more to secure a reliable range—one that will cook these thousand meals a year with the least trouble and at the lowest cost. If you should add one cent to the cost of every meal for the first year only, you would soon make up the difference between the cheap range and the range that will last a lifetime.

Suppose your cheap range uses one cent's more of fuel in cooking each meal, or only three cents' worth more a day. In one year this range has cost you ten dollars extra—ten dollars more for fuel than the better range. Every year means that much more money burned up.

Suppose the better range does cost ten dollars more at first than the cheap one. The extra cost is nothing—it amounts to only one cent a meal. It will save you one cent a meal in fuel alone. In one year it will save the extra cost, and in ten years it will save you one hundred dollars not counting what you save missing big repair bills.

You can open a bank account in your kitchen by buying a South Bend Malleable Range.

An expert demonstrator from the factory will be at our store for one week. He will tell you about the Patented Aluminum-Fused Copper-Bearing Flues. And prove to you why it is the best range made.

THE SOUTH BEND MALLEABLE RANGE

Buy One This Week
and get the Ware
FREE

One Week Only--Remember The Date
September 15 to 22

WILLIAM F. POWELL

Hardware for Heating and Plumbing

South Second Street, CLEARFIELD, PA.

YOUNG GIRLS ARE WORKERS IN BOMB FACTORIES ABROAD

High Explosive Snelles, Hand Grenades, Man-Killing Devices Are Manufactured

Correspondent Gives Interesting Description of Making of Grenade and Precautions Taken Against Explosion—Location of Plant Kept Secret—Aeroplane Attacks Feared.

By WILLIAM PHILIP SIMMS
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

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With the French army at the front August 6 (by mail)—Young girls and women are the principal workers in the factories where bombs, high explosive shells and hand grenades and man-killing devices are manufactured. It is one of the terrible things of the war that these girls and women are making the terrible weapons of war. They are working in the factories where bombs, high explosive shells and hand grenades and man-killing devices are manufactured. It is one of the terrible things of the war that these girls and women are making the terrible weapons of war.

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factories products, those and the projectiles hurled from their muzzles.

Also several varieties of grenades, bombs and petards are supplied here.

The "lemon" is one of the newest and most effective of the many brands of hand grenades. It is likewise the simplest. It is made in the shape of a lemon, from which it gets its nickname, and at one end is provided with a sort of button with coil-spring—a button working on the same principle as the one you use in ringing for Marie to serve the coffee. This button is harder to operate, of course, as it sets off the grenade when pushed in and were it too easy on the trigger it would be too dangerous to operate. Before throwing the bomb you simply hit the button about as you would to open a bottle of soda-pop.

Here is how the hand grenades are made.

First the shell is cast, a shell some quarter of an inch thick. It is intended all over to insure its bursting into innumerable fragments when exploded. The average number of fragments, determined after careful tests, is 220, the fragments being about the size of the tip of your little finger, of very rough edges and, at short distances—these weapons are never used otherwise—capable of piercing a two-inch plank. They make very dangerous weapons.

These caution shells shaped like a lemon, are next covered out by a burning apparatus resembling an incense burner. This is done by pouring a mixture of gunpowder and kerosene into a small hole in the side of the shell. The mixture is then ignited, and the shell is placed in a box where it will burn for a short time.

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While this is being done the "stopper" is assembled by other girls.

From the wood-turning department come the wooden plugs which close the grenade and contain the operating button. A hole runs through the middle and through this passes a Bickford time fuse. At the upper end is a cap something like the cap of an old-time muzzle-loading gun which is exploded by the push-button mentioned above. At the bottom of the fuse is the detonator.

The various operations of assembling this apparatus are performed by girls and women, some quite young, some old, grandmotherly and bespectacled. Each girl or woman has but one operation to perform however simple they may be. One inserts the fuse another adjusts the cap, a third the detonator, a fourth makes the joint between the fuse and detonator safe by means of sealing wax and so on, the "stoppers" flowing smoothly down this human stream rapidly and without let-up until at least they pour into the grenades stream for final adjustment.

A hole is made in the tightly packed chedite with which the grenade is filled and into this hole the detonator is passed. The grenade is now nearing completion and becomes extremely dangerous. Should one be dropped, or the button of one hit against any hard object with force, an explosion results within four and a half seconds, the time these special grenades are set for. Consequently from now on, until the grenades are packed for shipment all workmen sit beside a barracade stone and brick wall over which a bomb which has met with an accident may be tossed before it explodes.

In this strange war hand grenades have become of more importance in many instances than rifles and all along the front special corps of "grenadiers" have been formed. These

are being drilled in their special work daily.

"Don't tell where you saw us making grenades," was the final injunction of the colonel of artillery acting as superintendent of the works. "We were visited by a spy this morning. The Germans want to know just where we are so they can drop bombs on us from their aeroplanes. We supply 10,000 grenades a day to one army, you see how important it is that we keep working. Besides we don't want our folks killed."

(Tomorrow — Subterranean Defense.)

CELEBRATE THEIR 61st WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. William Henry, of Bloom Township Honored by Friends

On Friday, Sept. 3, about 120 friends and neighbors met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Henry, at Chestnut Grove in Bloom township to help them celebrate the 61st anniversary of their wedding. Long before noon guests began to arrive with well-filled baskets and the forenoon was spent in renewing old acquaintances and forming new ones. At noon all surrounded the well-laid tables and did ample justice to the abundance of good things set before them.

After dinner Rev. M. C. Flegal, of Lumber City, gave a short talk which was greatly appreciated and some vocal music was rendered, after which all returned to their homes wishing "Mr. and Mrs. Henry many more happy returns of the day."

William Henry and Mary J. Rusler were married Sept. 3, 1854, by David Dressler, J. P. With the exception of two years spent in Illinois all their married lives have been spent in Bloom township the past 60 years on the farm where they now reside.

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FRENCH AND GERMAN AIR MEN ACTIVE IN FLANDERS

Sixty Bombs Dropped on German Aviation Camp

(By United Press)
Paris, Sept. 8.—Air warfare on a large scale was carried on along the Franco-Flanders battle front last night and early today. French aviators dropped 60 bombs in the German aviation camp at Madrad and Dieuze. French and British aviators raided another German camp at Ostend. A squad of German air men attacked Nancy dropping bombs and killing several persons.

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Popular Leader to Try the Simple Life on Kansas Farm

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Berlin, September 8.—General Mackensen has driven the Russians from Comak and has arrived within 36 miles of Tinn. Berlin newspapers yesterday printed reports that a state of panic has seized the population of Petrograd as a result of these rumors that Riga has fallen and that the Germans are now marching on the capital. An Athens dispatch to newspapers today stated it was reported in the Greek capital that the president of the Petrograd police has been assassinated.

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The ladies of the Baptist church will give a oyster supper in the basement of their church on Thursday September 16, from 5 o'clock in the afternoon until 8 o'clock. The price of the supper will be 25 cents.

DANCE AT DIMELING

Wright's Colored Saxophone orchestra at the Dimeling Friday night. Subscription \$2. Committee, W. H. Patterson, Jr., T. R. Lytle. S 8-3t.

SEED WHEAT

Smooth, red seed wheat for sale at Stone House farm. Good variety. James Mitchell. S 7-8 wk.

Fresh Peaches

Yellow, Albetas, and Choice White Hand Picked 65c The Half Bushel OVERLY BROS.

I have just returned from a week's visit to Berlin. The above conclusions are based upon personal observations and conversations with Germans of low and high degree. Among the latter were important government leaders.

When I arrived at the German capital they were celebrating the capture of Russian prisoners and munition. I found no basis for stories that Germany is putting forth peace suggestions. I asked one of the highest German officials whether Germany would consider a peace offering a that time.

"Yes," replied promptly, "it comes from our enemies and if based upon the admission that we are the victors."

"Would you consider a suggestion for mediation from a neutral source, for instance, from President Wilson," I asked.

"We would treat any such suggestion with the utmost courtesy," was the reply, "but it is my personal opinion that Germany would open negotiations only if requested directly by her enemies."

My conversation with other government leaders on the question were of the same character. There was a general disposition on the part of the Germans to placate and cultivate America, also an apparent earnest desire to live down the term "barbarism." Only a small minority disagreed with Ambassador Bernstorff's note to America on the Arabic case.

CLEARFIELD BOY PROMOTED

Elmer Mann, formerly of this place who has been connected with the Y. M. C. A. at McKees Rocks for the past four years has been appointed assistant to Mr. Beck at Indiana. Mr. Beck was secretary of the Clearfield Y. M. C. A. for several years.

MOVES TO RENOVA

Miss Annie Wrigley, who for several years has lived with her mother on Walnut street, left today for Renova where she expects to make her home with her brother, Alexander Wrigley. Her mother, Mrs. J. K. Wrigley, will join them in a few days.

VICTIM OF AUTO SMASH RECOVERING RAPIDLY

Clair Kline who was in an automobile accident a couple weeks ago is recovering rapidly and is able to get around the house unaided.

DRIVING PARTY

Miss Annie Mitchell gave a driving party to some of her friends today. They drove to Olanta and had dinner at Bloom's boarding house.

ENTERTAINS MISSIONARY

Mrs. H. E. Bender entertained the Woman's Foreign Missionary society of the Methodist church this afternoon at her home on Second street.

HOLD SOCIAL

A. H. Woodward's Sunday school class will hold its social this evening in the Methodist church.

ENTERTAINS AT LUNCHEON

Miss Margaret Wrigley entertained at luncheon today at her home on Front street.

Clarence Cole, of Potter county, is visiting at the home of his sister Mrs. H. J. Flegel.

Mrs. W. C. Andrews, of Philipsburg was shopping in Clearfield today.

Mrs. George Miller, of Johnsonburg is visiting at the home of her sister on Fourth street.

Mrs. J. A. Dutra, of LaJesse returned to her home in Clearfield last evening having been called on account of the illness of her niece Miss Winifred McDivitt.

MORTORISTS HURT IN AUTO CRASH AT CALLAHAN FARM

Grampian Pupils Returning Home From School Yesterday Hit Unknown Car.

Cause of Accident Not Known—Supposition is That Steering Wheel Became Uncontrollable—One Nose Broken and Other Bruises and Injuries to Several.

Yesterday afternoon about 4:45 a Ford belonging to M. W. Wood, of Grampian, containing 6 passengers, was struck by a Buick from Curwensville, at Callahans' farm at Centre. One of the passengers in the Buick had his nose broken and another being badly bruised. Both cars were badly damaged, the Buick beyond immediate repairs.

Iver Wood who was driving the Ford was returning from school in Clearfield to his home in Grampian, leaving with him four girls and one boy all of whom go to school in town.

It is not known exactly how the accident happened, but it is thought that something went wrong with the steering wheel of the Buick, causing it to swerve to the left striking the Ford. Wood's car was the least damaged of the two, having one tire cut, the left fender bent, and the front axle sprung. The other car was badly damaged and was left standing on the side of the road until today. The left front wheel was smashed, the axle and radius rod bent, the wind shield smashed, and the steering wheel broken.

Another supposition that the driver of the Buick whose identity was unknown had been drinking and lost control of the machine.

OUR DAILY BIRTHDAY PARTY.

Mrs. Russell Sage, eminent philanthropist, born at Syracuse, N. Y., 87 years ago today.

Bertha Kalich, celebrated actress, born in Lemberg, Galicia, 41 years ago today.

Robert A. Taft, son of former President William H. Taft, born 26 years ago today.

George B. McGinty, secretary of the Interstate Commerce Commission, born in Monroe County, Ga., 37 years ago today.

Rt. Rev. Charles P. Anderson, Episcopal bishop of Chicago, born at Kemptville, Can., 52 years ago today.

Henry A. Cooper, representative in congress of the First Wisconsin district, born in Walworth, County, Ill., 65 years ago today.

James V. McClintic, representative in congress of the Seventh Oklahoma district, born near Bremond, Texas, 37 years ago today.

Walter R. Cox, one of the best known of American harness race drivers, born at Eprom, N. H., 42 years ago today.

David Bancroft, shortstop of the Philadelphia National league baseball team, born in Chicago, 25 years ago today.

DAILY LESSON IN HISTORY

One Hundred Years Ago Today
1815—Alexander Ramsey, territorial and state governor of Minnesota, U. S. Senator and secretary of war in President Hayes' cabinet, born near Harrisburg, Pa. Died in St. Paul, April 22, 1903.

Seventy-five Years Ago Today
1840—The Harrison-Van Buren contest for the presidency reached a stage of intense excitement and fierce controversies.

Fifty Years Ago Today
1865—Pierre Choteau, a famous pioneer fur trader, whose trading posts extended from Texas to Minnesota and as far northwest as the Blackfoot country, died in St. Louis. Born there in 1789.

Twenty-five Years Ago Today
1890—A convention to frame a new constitution for Kentucky met at Frankfort.

WAR NEWS OF ONE YEAR AGO TODAY.

British cross the Marne. Germans retreat 25 miles. Believed success of allies in checking Germans greater than war office announcements indicate.

Berlin reports Maubeuge taken with 40,000 prisoners. Bordeaux dispatch denies.

St. Petersburg reports Russian Poland free of Austrians.

The Kaiser has sent a protest to President Wilson against the participation of the Belgium people in the war and a statement of regret at the destruction of interesting places. Declares the English are using dum-dum bullets.

WASHINGTON WIGWAGS

BY GEORGE A. MARTIN.

Residents in the vicinity of Stratford Shoal, New York, probably will not be pleased to learn that the government has just \$8000 making the foghorn at that point much louder.

The commerce department says the Temple of Agriculture grounds at Peking, China are being transformed into "a beautiful park with tennis courts and lily ponds." The ponds are for the balls to go into.

Mr. Consul Anderson reports twenty tons of Chicago butter have arrived at Hong Kong on their dash to South China via San Francisco and Sydney. There seems no good reason why the Chicago butter market in South China should not be very strong.

American plumbers are glad to note that tubes and piping are being made of solidified glue. All one has to do now is lick the plumbing, stick it in and charge extra for the new idea.

Subscribe for The Progress.

PROMINENCE OF LOCAL FOOTBALL SPREADING RAPIDLY

Numerous Mention in The Spaulding Rule Book for Next Spring

Contains Picture of Last Years Team Together With Scores and Mention of Fact That Local Team Won County Championship Last Year by Beating DuBois.

That the Clearfield high school football team is gaining prominence in athletic circles is forcibly shown by the numerous mentions it has received in the Spaulding official rule book and foot ball guide which has just been issued.

This spring's edition of the Spaulding book has not been put on the local market and many of the fans are not yet aware of the increasing attention that the Clearfield team is gaining in the state.

Besides a picture of last year's regular team which is shown in a prominent place among other star teams the rule book gives the scores of all the games which the local team played last year and the opponents in each game.

Among the high notes it mentions the fact that the Clearfield team won the championship of the county for the first time in history by defeating the widely known DuBois team at a game on the home grounds, where one of the largest foot ball crowds in the history of the school gathered to watch the slaughter.

The foot ball season for the home team opens on Saturday, September 18, when the team will play its first game at home. It is not known at present who the opponent for this game will be it is understood that the manager is making efforts to secure a team that will give the fellows a good fight and start the coming season off with a win that will create a lasting interest in the game this fall.

The entire schedule for the season will be completed in a few days. It promises to be one of the very best. Already hints of some big games have leaked out through numerous other papers of the state when the Clearfield high school's name was mentioned in giving the schedules of such teams as Indiana Normal and Williamsport.

THE WAR ONE YEAR AGO TODAY.

September 8, 1914—The Germans occupied Melle, Belgium; Russians defeated the Austrians in great battle at Rawarska, Galicia; the Czar declared Galicia a Russian province; the allies celebrated the German retreat from the Marne, capturing many German prisoners and guns; President Wilson proclaimed October 4 as a day of prayer for peace.

PUNKSUTAWNEY WANTS TO OWN HER WATER SUPPLY

E. W. Hess Preparing Estimates for Borough to Submit to P. S. Commission

E. W. Hess, borough engineer, has been retained by the town authorities at Punksutawney to prepare estimates and other information for submission to the public service commission in the borough's effort to obtain permission to install a municipal water system. Punksutawney is dissatisfied with her water service, and wants to put in a plant of her own. Her water supply is bad, and expensive in comparison with Clearfield's splendid and cheap service.

VON TIRPITZ IS NOT TO RESIGN PLACE IN NAVY

Kaiser's Chief Murderer to Retain His Portfolio

(By United Press)
Berlin, Sept. 8. The rumors that Grand Admiral Von Tirpitz contemplated resigning are untrue. He has been on a short vacation but will soon return. The German foreign office has as yet received any representations from Marmelica formally or otherwise concerning the Hesperian incident. In the absence of reports from its submarine commander, the government is exceedingly reticent.

CHICKEN AND WAFFLE SUPPER AT ROSE HOUSE

Chicken and waffle supper will be held at No. 1 hose house Wednesday September 15. The supper will be served by the ladies auxiliary. Supper 35 cents, ice cream and cake extra. Everyone is invited to come and help the firemen.

GEORGE M. BILGER FILES A BANKRUPTCY PETITION

Clearfield Man Seeks Federal Court in Pittsburg

Pittsburg, Sept. 8.—George M. Bilger, of Clearfield today filed a petition in bankruptcy in the federal court here.

CARDIFF MINERS AGAIN ON STRIKE—FOR THIRD TIME

(By United Press)
Cardiff, Wales, September 8.—For the third time since the war began, a strike was called in the South Wales coal district today. About 3,500 miners in two collieries quit work at orders from their leaders, protesting against the employment of no-union miners.

BRITISH LABOR PLEDGES ITS SUPPORT TO THE GOVT.

(By United Press)
Bristol, Sept. 8.—Resolutions pledging the utmost assistance by British laborers to the British government in the prosecution of the war, were adopted by the National Trade Union congress here today by a vote of 600 to 7.

W. C. T. U. TO MEET

There will be an important meeting of the W. C. T. U. at the Y. M. C. A. Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock when a report of the recent convention at Osceola Mills will be read.

"INFLAMMABLES, SAFE HANDLING TALK TOMORROW"

Col. Dunn of Bureau of Explosives Will Give Illustrated Lecture.

Affair at Y. M. C. A. Will be Fully Illustrated For Railroad Men—Will Show Dangerous Methods of Handling Explosive Goods.

An illustrated lecture of future railroad men will be given in the Y. M. C. A. auditorium tomorrow evening on the safe handling and transportation of explosives. Col. Dunn of the bureau of explosives will use stereopticon views to trap his talk.

The lecture is primarily a roadshow and tickets will be given to all the railroaders who wish to attend. Ticket may also be obtained by any others interested in the subject at the Y. M. C. A. station of the Y. M. C. A. tomorrow.

The bureau of explosives is a government organization which enforces rules and regulations followed by the railroad companies in the handling of explosives or inflammable goods.

The lecture will show the dangerous methods which can be applied to the moving of such materials and point out ways to avoid such unnecessary danger.

FORMER CLEARFIELD MAN IS KILLED IN AUTO ACCIDENT

Harry Albright's Machine Flung Over A 90-Foot Embankment

Harry Albright, of Tyrone, a former resident of Clearfield, was instantly killed three miles north of Tyrone last Monday when his automobile became unmanageable, plunged through a wire fence and over a 90-foot embankment.

Albright's neck was broken. Friends found him at the bottom of the embankment. No explanation is given of the accident, but it is assumed that the steering gear of the car broke, causing it to go over the road before the driver could bring it to a stop.

Albright lived in Clearfield for some years, and was a member of the firm of Albright Bros., grocers. He had many friends, here who will be grieved to learn of his untimely death. He was 47 years old, and was a well known carrier out of Tyrone at the time of his death.

W. C. T. U. ELECTS OFFICERS FOR COUNTY ORGANIZATION

Mrs. Lillian N. Trumble Named President for the Coming Year

At the 30th annual convention of the Women's Christian Temperance union of Clearfield county, which closed at Osceola Mills on September 3, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President, Mrs. Lillian N. Trumble; Vice-President, Mrs. E. J. Bunker; Cor. Sec., Mrs. Balam; Gen. Sec., Mrs. Harry Smith; Treasurer, Mrs. Mary McNaull.

The next county convention will be held at Mahaffey. At the county convention there were 50 delegates from all sections of the county, and the event was honored by a group of the state president, Mrs. George, who spoke on Friday on "Home Protection."

ARABIC'S ASSASSIN HAS RETURNED TO HIS HOME

Commander Declares He Saw Ship to Prevent Own Destruction

Amsterdam, Sept. 8.—The submarine that sunk the Arabic has returned to her base and has reported that she torpedoed the liner to escape possible destruction, according to dispatches received here from Berlin today.

Liverpool reports and advice to the state department at Washington have indicated that the U. S. ship sunk the Arabic on August 24 and either sunk or captured by the British though the reports have not been confirmed by the British admiralty.

U. S. Department of Agriculture Weather Bureau

Washington, D. C., September 7

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mans of low and high degree. Among
the latter were important government
leaders.

When I arrived at the German cap-
ital they were celebrating the capture
of Russian prisoners and munition.
I found no basis for stories that Ger-
many is putting forth peace sugges-
tions. I asked one of the highest
German officials whether Germany
would consider a peace offering a that
time.

"Yes," replied promptly, "it
comes from our enemies and if based
upon the admission that we are the
victors."

"Would you consider a suggestion
for mediation from a neutral source,
for instance, from President Wilson,"
I asked.

"We would treat any such sugges-
tion with the utmost courtesy," was
the reply, "but it is my personal
opinion that Germany would open
negotiations only if requested directly
by her enemies."

My conversation with other govern-
ment leaders on the question were of
the same character. There was a
general disposition on the part of the
Germans to placate and cultivate
America, also an apparent earnest de-
sire to live down the term "barbar-
ism." Only a small minority dis-
agreed with Ambassador Bernstorff's
note to America on the Arabie case.

CLEARFIELD BOY PROMOTED

Elmer Mann, formerly of this place
who has been connected with the Y.
M. C. A. at McKees Rocks for the past
four years has been appointed as-
sistant to Mr. Beck at Indiana. Mr.
Beck was secretary of the Clearfield
Y. M. C. A. for several years.

MOVES TO RENOVA

Miss Annie Wrigley, who for sev-
eral years has lived with her mother
on Walnut street, left today for Re-
nova where she expects to make her
home with her brother, Alexander
Wrigley. Her mother, Mrs. J. K.
Wrigley, will join them in a few days.

VICTIM OF AUTO SMASH RECOVERING RAPIDLY

Clair Kline who was in an automo-
bile accident a couple weeks ago is
recovering rapidly and is able to get
around the house unaided.

DRIVING PARTY

Miss Annie Mitchell gave a driving
party to some of her friends today.
They drove to Olanta and had dinner
at Bloom's boarding house.

ENTERTAINS MISSIONARY

Mrs. H. R. Bender entertained the
Woman's Foreign Missionary society
of the Methodist church this after-
noon at her home on Second street.

HOLD SOCIAL

A. H. Woodward's Sunday school
class will hold its social this evening
in the Methodist church.

ENTERTAINS AT LUNCHEON

Miss Margaret Wrigley entertained
at luncheon today at her home on
Front street.

Clarence Cole, of Potter county, is
visiting at the home of his sister Mrs.
H. J. Fiegat.

Mrs. W. C. Andrews, of Philipsburg
was shopping in Clearfield today.

Mrs. George Miller, of Johnsonburg
is visiting at the home of her sister
on Fourth street.

Mrs. J. A. Dutra, of LaJesse re-
turned to her home in Clearfield last
evening having been called on ac-
count of the illness of her niece Miss
Winifred McDivitt.

MOTORISTS HURT IN AUTO CRASH AT CALLAHAN FARM

Gramplan Pupils Returning Home
From School Yesterday
Hit Unknown Car.

Cause of Accident Not Known—Sup-
position is That Steering Wheel Be-
came Uncontrollable—One Nose
Broken and Other Bruises and In-
juries to Several.

Yesterday afternoon about 4:45 a
Ford belonging to M. W. Wood, of
Gramplan, containing 6 passengers,
was struck by a Buick from Curwens-
ville, at Callahan's farm at Centre.
One of the passengers in the Buick
had his nose broken and another being
badly bruised. Both cars were badly
damaged, the Buick beyond immediate
repairs.

Iver Wood who was driving the
Ford was returning from school in
Clearfield to his home in Gramplan,
having with him four girls and one
boy all of whom go to school in town.
It is not known exactly how the ac-
cident happened, but it is thought that
something went wrong with the steer-
ing wheel of the Buick, causing it to
swerve to the left striking the Ford.
Wood's car was the least damaged of
the two, having one tire cut, the left
fender bent, and the front axle
sprung. The other car was badly
damaged and was left standing on
the side of the road until today. The
left front wheel was smashed, the
axle and radius rod bent, the wind
shield smashed, and the steering
wheel broken.

Another supposition that the driver
of the Buick whose identity was un-
known had been drinking and lost
control of the machine.

OUR DAILY BIRTHDAY PARTY.

Mrs. Russell Sage, eminent philan-
thropist, born at Syracuse, N. Y., 87
years ago today.

Bertha Kalich, celebrated actress,
born in Lemberg, Galicia, 41 years
ago today.

Robert A. Taft, son of former Pres-
ident William H. Taft, born 26 years
ago today.

George B. McGinty, secretary of
the Interstate Commerce Commission,
born in Monroe County, Ga., 37 years
ago today.

Rt. Rev. Charles P. Anderson, Epis-
copal bishop of Chicago, born at
Kempville, Can., 52 years ago today.

Henry A. Cooper, representative in
congress of the First Wisconsin dis-
trict, born in Walworth, County, Ill.,
65 years ago today.

James V. McClintic, representative
in congress of the Seventh Oklahoma
district, born near Bremond, Texas,
37 years ago today.

Walter R. Cox, one of the best
known of American harness race
drivers, born at Eprom, N. H., 44
years ago today.

David Bancroft, shortstop of the
Philadelphia National league base ball
team, born in Chicago, 25 years ago
today.

DAILY LESSON IN HISTORY

One Hundred Years Ago Today
1815—Alexander Ramsey, ter-
ritorial and state governor of
Minnesota, U. S. Senator and
secretary of war in President
Hayes' cabinet, born near Har-
risburg, Pa. Died in St. Paul,
April 22, 1903.

Seventy-five Years Ago Today
1840—The Harrison-Van Buren
contest for the presidency reach-
ed a stage of intense excitement
and fierce controversies.

Fifty Years Ago Today
1865—Pierre Choteau, a fa-
mous pioneer fur trader, whose
trading posts extended from
Texas to Minnesota and as far
northwest as the Blackfoot coun-
try, died in St. Louis. Born there
in 1788.

Twenty-five Years Ago Today
1890—A convention to frame a
new constitution for Kentucky
met at Frankfort.

WAR NEWS OF ONE YEAR AGO TODAY.

British cross the Marne. Ger-
mans retreat 25 miles. Believed
success of allies in checking
Germans greater than war office
announcements indicate.

Berlin reports Maubeuge taken
with 40,000 prisoners. Bordeaux
dispatch denies.

St. Petersburg reports Rus-
sian Poland free of Austrians.

The Kaiser has sent a protest
to President Wilson against the
participation of the Belgium peo-
ple in the war and a statement of
regret at the destruction of in-
teresting places. Declares the
English are using dum-dum bul-
lets.

WASHINGTON WIGWAGS

Residents in the vicinity of
Stratford Shoal, New York, prob-
ably will not be pleased to learn
that the government has just
\$6000 making the foghorn at that
point much louder.

The commerce department says
the Temple of Agriculture
grounds at Peking, China are be-
ing transformed into a beautiful
park with tennis courts and lil-
y ponds. The ponds are for the
balls to go into.

Mr. Consul Anderson reports
twenty tons of Chicago butter
have arrived at Hong Kong on
their dash to South China via San
Francisco and Sydney. There
seems to be good reason why the
Chicago butter market in South
China should not be very strong.

American plumbers are glad to
note that tubes and piping are be-
ing made of solidified glue. All
one has to do now is lick the
plumbing, stick it in and charge
extra for the new idea.

THE WAR ONE YEAR AGO TODAY.

September 8, 1914—The Ger-
mans occupied Melle, Belgium;
Russians defeated the Austrians
in great battle at Rawaraska,
Galicia; the Czar declared Galicia
a Russian province; the allies ac-
celerated the German retreat
from the Marne, capturing many
German prisoners and guns;
President Wilson proclaimed Oc-
tober 4 as a day of prayer for
peace.

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PROMINENCE OF LOCAL FOOTBALL SPREADING RAPIDLY

Numerous Mention in The
Spaulding Rule Book for
Next Spring

Contains Picture of Last Years Team
Together With Scores and Mention
of Fact That Local Team Won
County Championship Last Year by
Beating DuBois.

That the Clearfield high school foot-
ball team is gaining prominence in
athletic circles is forcibly shown by
the numerous mentions it has receiv-
ed in the Spaulding official rule book
and foot ball guide which has just
been issued.

This spring's edition of the Spauld-
ing book has not been put on the
local market and many of the fans
are not yet aware of the increasing
attention that the Clearfield team is
gaining in the state.

Besides a picture of last year's regu-
lar team which is shown in a promi-
nent place among other star teams the
rule book gives the scores of all the
games which the local team played
last year and the opponents in each
game.

Among the high notes it mentions
the fact that the Clearfield team won
the championship of the county for
the first time in history by defeating
the widely known DuBois team at a
game on the home grounds, where one
of the largest foot ball crowds in the
history of the school gathered to
watch the slaughter.

The foot ball season for the home
team opens on Saturday, September
18, when the team will play its first
game at home. It is not known at
present who the opponent for this
game will be it is understood that the
manager is making efforts to secure
a team that will give the fellows a
good fight and start the coming
season off with a vim that will create
a lasting interest in the game this fall.

The entire schedule for the season
will be completed in a few days. It
promises to be one of the very best.
Already hints of some big games have
leaked out through numerous other
papers of the state when the Clear-
field high school's name was men-
tioned in giving the schedules of such
teams as Indiana Normal and Wil-
liamsport.

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Chicken and waffle supper will be
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PUNXSUTAWNEY WANTS TO OWN HER WATER SUPPLY

E. W. Hess Preparing Estimates for
Borough to Submit to P. S.
Commission

E. W. Hess, borough engineer, has
been retained by the town authorities
at Punxsutawney to prepare estimates
and other information for submission
to the public service commission in
the borough's effort to obtain permis-
sion to install a municipal water sys-
tem.

Punxsutawney is dissatisfied with
her water service, and wants to put
in a plant of her own. Her water
supply is bad, and expensive in com-
parison with Clearfield's splendid and
cheap service.

VON TIRPITZ IS NOT TO DESIGN PLACE IN NAVY

Kaiser's Chief Murderer to Retain His
Portfolio

(By United Press)
Berlin, Sept. 8. The rumors that
Grand Admiral Von Tirpitz contem-
plates resigning are untrue. He has
been on a short vacation but will soon
return. The German foreign office
has as yet received any repre-
sentations from America formally or
otherwise concerning the Hesperian
incident. In the absence of reports
from its submarine commander, the
government is exceedingly reticent.

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trated Lecture.

Affair at Y. M. C. A. Will be
Held For Railroad Men—Will
Discuss Dangerous Methods of Man-
aging Explosive Goods.

An illustrated lecture of future
railroad men will be given in the
Y. M. C. A. auditorium tomorrow
morning on the safe handling and
transportation of explosives. Col. Du-
nn, the bureau of explosives will
and use stereopticon views to
trape his talk.

The lecture is primarily a
roadside and tickets will be given
all the railroaders who wish to at-
tend. Ticket may also be obtained by
any others interested in the subject
at the Y. M. C. A. station of the Y. M.
C. A. tomorrow.

The bureau of explosives in an-
ticipation of the new rules and
regulations follows by the railroad
companies in the handling of explo-
sives or inflammable goods.

The lecture will show the danger-
ous methods which can be applied
to the moving of such materials and
point out ways to avoid such un-
necessary danger.

FORMER CLEARFIELD MAN IS KILLED IN AUTO ACCIDENT

Harry Albright's Machine Flung
Over A 90-Foot Embankment

Harry Albright, of Tyrone, a sum-
mer resident of Clearfield, was in-
stantly killed three miles north of
Tyrone last Monday when his auto-
mobile became unmanageable, plunged
through a wire fence and over a 90-
foot embankment.

Albright's neck was broken. His
friends found him at the bottom of
the embankment. No explanation is
given of the accident, but it is as-
sumed that the steering gear of the
car broke, causing it to go over the
road before the driver could bring it
to a stop.

Albright lived in Clearfield for
some years, and was a member of the
firm of Albright Bros., grocers. He
had many friends, here who will be
grieved to learn of his untimely death.
He was 47 years old, and was a well
known out of Tyrone at the time of
his death.

W. C. T. U. ELECTS OFFICERS FOR COUNTY ORGANIZATION

Mrs. Lillian N. Trumble Named Presi-
dent for the Coming Year

At the 30th annual convention of the
Women's Christian Temperance Union
of Clearfield county, which closed at
Oaccola Mills on September 3, the fol-
lowing officers were elected for the
ensuing year:

President, Mrs. Lillian N. Trumble;
Vice-President, Mrs. E. J. Benton;
Cor. Sec., Mrs. Hallam Gorman; Sec.
Sec., Mrs. Harry Smith; Treasurer,
Mrs. Mary McNaull.

The next county convention will be
held at Mahaffey. At the Oaccola
convention there were 56 delegates
from all sections of the county, and
the event was honored by a presence
of the state president, Mrs. George,
who spoke on Friday on "Home Pro-
tection."

ARABIC'S ASSASSIN HAS RETURNED TO HIS BASE

Commander Declares He Sent Arabie
to Prevent Own Destruction

Amsterdam, Sept. 8.—The subma-
rine that sunk the Arabie has re-
turned to her base and has reported
that she torpedoed the liner to pre-
vent possible destruction, according
to dispatches received here from Am-
sterdam today.

Liverpool reports and advice to
the state department at Washington
have indicated that the U-boat that
sunk the Arabie on August 2nd was
either sunk or captured by the British
though the reports have not been con-
firmed by the British admiralty.

U. S. Department of Agriculture Weather Bureau

Washington, D. C., September 7
Weekly Weather Forecast

For week beginning, Wednesday
September 8, 1915

For Middle Atlantic States
Local showers, Wednesday and
probably Thursday will be followed
by fair and pleasant weather until
the 13th or 14th, when there is a
probability of a return to unsettled
weather and showers.

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WEDNESDAY EVENING

THE WISE MID

In finally yielding to the pressure of the W. seemed to show a strain. The fact that war with the possibility. No doubt the Kaiser's long-credulous ad- at last came to see this. They may have dreaded the economic results of such a war, or they may have feared the consequences of the whole world's disapproval of their policy of submarine attack on passenger ships without warning or the safeguarding of the non-combatants on board, or they may have voluntarily reached the same conclusion that what was being gained was immeasurably less valuable than what was being lost. However that may be, the policy itself was one which the ancient Greeks would have truly described as "an astonishment and a hissing," and the fact that it should ever have been inaugurated is less amazing only than the fact that it was continued in so long.

In such a crisis what a nation needs is not passion and bluster, not the disposition to yield rather than in- the costs of resistance, but calm courage, quiet per- sistance, invincible determination that is not brought under suspicion by a too spectacular beating of drums—in short, a stout heart and a level head. What ever his faults or his failures in other particulars, the country has been fortunate to possess all this in President Wilson, and generous indeed is his political opponent in domestic affairs who is unwilling to concede the value of his service in the international crisis through which we now appear to have safely passed.

A ROYAL FRIEND OF LOVERS

While so many of the monarchs of Europe are serving Mars, King Alfonso of Spain is busy himself serving Cupid, and lovers by thousands are blessing his name in consequence. According to a translation from a Barcelona newspaper, it began with the appeal of a French lady whose efforts to get news of her soldier-lover by way of Berlin and Vienna had repeatedly failed. Turning at last to King Alfonso because she knew him to be "generous, young and affectionate" and "married for love," she asked his aid as king of the land of chivalry and the greatest hidalgo of Castile.

Alfonso read the letter with sympathy, then instructed his ambassadors at Berlin and Vienna to make inquiries, and soon he was able to inform the distressed lady of her fiancé, after being captured at Ypres, was interned at Leipzig, where she could address him. The grateful lady sounded the praises of the royal friend of lovers, the story was widely published, and appeal of the king soon began to reach the King of Spain from many parts of France, Belgium, and even Russia and England. Then the applications arrived by thousands and the king found it necessary to employ "a competent staff of sorters and polyglot correspondents," no less than 13,750 letters having received attention by the end of July. Though he is not playing what can be called a heroic part in the making of new European history, the amiable young King of Spain may be said to be better employed than several other monarchs in that part of the world.

Yesterday's news that the Hesperian carried a rifle on her stern, while in a sense trivial, effectively increased of this country's interest in the sinking of the ship, whether she carried passengers or not. Even in the tremendous crisis, when many phases of what we are pleased to term international law are being turned on their heads to meet conditions which were not dreamed of when the usages upon which the present understanding between nations was framed, we must be guided by the cardinal principles of that understanding, and none of them is so definite and pronounced as that section dealing with the rights of merchant vessels of belligerent nations, and when merchant's vessels become a part of the offensive and defensive machinery of a nation at

many had every right to sink the Hesperian, as Consul Frost has made no mistake in his report to the State department concerning her, and while it is in a sense deplorable, Americans have cause to be thankful that the incident will not serve further to intensify the strife between ourselves and Germany, which is now being spread by the Kaiser's changed attitude.

RABID



RUSSIANS TO FAST THREE DAYS.

Petrograd, Sept. 8.—With unusual fervor and religious enthusiasm the people of Russia today observed the anniversary of their country's liberation from the invader, Tamerlane, the Mongol leader, who made his way at the head of his armies almost to Moscow in 1395, visiting unusual cruelties upon the people. The customary church observance was given added significance by the present war and a decree of the Holy Synod fixing the day for the beginning of a three days' fast by high and low throughout the empire. All theatrical performances and other entertainments have been prohibited during period of the fast, although work is to continue as usual.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH HAS NEW COLLEGE.

Auburn, Ga., Sept. 8.—The new educational college established here by the Christian Church was opened to students today. The institution is the only one of its kind belonging to the Christian Church in the southeast, and its founders predict a great future for it. The College has taken over the buildings formerly used by the Perry-Rainey institute. The Rev. John H. Wood, of Atlanta, has been chosen president of the college.

PLAN TO WIPE OUT ALL WET SPOTS.

Minneapolis, Sept. 8.—With more than three-fourths of the state now under prohibition, a state-wide conference of dry workers assembled here today to perfect a plan of campaign to convert the few remaining wet counties in Minnesota. Special attention is to be given to Hennepin County, which includes the city of Minneapolis and in which a special election on the saloon question is soon to be held.

PROPOSALS WANTED.

Notice to Painters. Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the Commissioners of Clearfield County, at their office in the Court House, Clearfield, Pennsylvania, until 10:30 o'clock A. M., Friday, September 10th, 1915, for cleaning and repainting exterior of the Court House, per specifications now on file in the office of the county Commissioners. Proposals will be required to conform thereto, and be accompanied by a certified check to amount of Twenty-Five (\$25.00) Dollars, made payable to Clearfield County, as security that the bidder will enter into contract to perform the work in case same is awarded to him. Proposals will be publicly opened at the Commissioners' Office at 11:30 o'clock the same day. The successful bidder will be required to execute bond in a sum equal to the bid, for the faithful performance of the contract. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all bids. By the order of the County Commissioners.

W. C. LANGSFORD

J. S. RICHARDS

H. L. BOWMAN

Attest: L. C. NORRIS, Clerk.

Dated August 25th, 1915.

WISCONSIN M. E. CONFERENCE.

Racine, Sept. 8.—Two hundred ministers and an equal number of lay delegates came to Racine today for the annual session of the Wisconsin Methodist Episcopal conference. Beginning with a welcome meeting attended by the early arrivals last night, the regular business of the conference was taken up this morning. Rev. S. H. Anderson, of Milwaukee delivered the memorial sermon. The business sessions of the conference will continue until Monday and will be presided over by Bishop Luther B. Wilson.

Advice on Financial Matters

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is a long time for any concern to do business in a city and when the concern happens to be a bank like this, with a multitude of depositors to please, there must be something about it which holds depositors together.

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The Clearfield National Bank, "The Bank of Service"

Despite this country's present vast wealth in game birds, according to the writer, they would soon be shot away but for proper protection. As it is, he continues, the numbers of game birds today are quite insignificant when compared to the abundance of former days. Destruction of former breeding places by drainage and, more especially, the relentless pursuit with firearms, are the causes assigned for the falling off of supply. Mr. Henshaw writes:

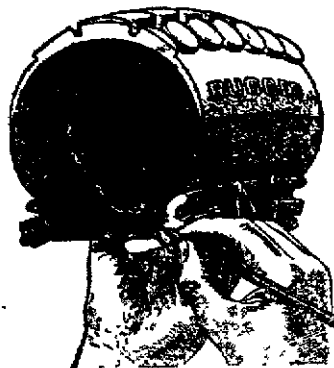
"The statements of the early chroniclers regarding the multitudes of ducks, plover, and wild pigeons almost defy belief. When, in the records of the first part of the last century, one reads of clouds of pigeons that required three days to pass a given point in a continuous stream, and again flocks estimated to contain more than two billion birds, credulity is taxed to the limit. Yet not only one such flock was observed but they were of periodic occurrence during many years of our early history, and the accounts of them are too well attested to be doubted. As throwing a curious sidelight on the abundance of wild fowl and the hardships to which the slaves of the period were subjected, I quote from Grinnel, who states that 'in early days slave owners, who hired out their slaves, stipulated in the contract that canvas-back ducks should not be fed to them more than twice each week!'"

A high money value is placed on our game resources. Mr. Henshaw states that Oregon values her game birds, at \$5,000,000 a year, while California and Maine each claim their game to be worth \$20,000,000 a year, which suggests the enormous aggregate value of the country's game. Mr. Henshaw's communication with an expression of the belief that the country should do all in their power to protect and to bring about a right-ful use this rich heritage.

GOLF TOURNEY AT MONTGOMERY.

Montgomery, Sept. 8.—Many leading gold players of Alabama assembled on the links of the Montgomery Country Club today for the opening of the first annual tournament of the state association. Play was begun with a qualifying round, 18 holes, medal play, and will be continued until the finals are reached Saturday.

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38x4	19.90	22.90	2.90	4.35
34x4 1/2	27.05	31.10	5.00	5.55
35x4 1/2	28.25	32.50	5.10	5.65
36x4	21.65	24.90	4.20	4.60
36x4 1/2	28.70	33.00	5.20	5.80

ALL STYLES KLAXON MADE HORNS.

Klaxon, \$20. Klaxonet, \$15. Klaxet, \$9

TWO STYLES HAND HORNS:

Hand Klaxon, \$7.50 Hand Klaxonet, \$4

LEE GARAGE CO.

Distributors
Garage, Locust Street
Clearfield, Pa.

Gossip for Tonight's Tea Table

Bois motored to Clearfield today.

The French club met with Mrs. James O'Laughlin yesterday.

H. Hinterlightner and J. W. Wetzel motored to Rossmore today.

H. C. McCloud had business in Tyrone yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Murray returned Monday evening from a four week's trip to Battle Creek, Mich., where Mr. Murray has been for his health.

Misses Judith Anderson and Hedvig Peterson returned last evening from a visit with relatives in Grass Flat.

Mrs. Allison Smith and Miss Smith will entertain at luncheon tomorrow at one o'clock.

Mrs. W. H. Hembold has issued invitations to a luncheon Friday at one o'clock at her home in Curwensville.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Patterson, William Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Cameron's new bungalow above Curwensville.

William Cosad left today for Kane. Mr. and Mrs. Axler and daughter returned last evening from Kane.

Mr. Dodds, of Warren, was a business caller in town today.

Mrs. George Vosburg, formerly Miss Jean Cole is visiting her sister Mrs. Lundergan in DuBois.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Whiteman entertained at the Country club Saturday evening.

Miss Florence Thorn, of Punxsutawney spent Sunday with her cousin Miss Gussie Thorn on Ogden avenue.

Kenneth Thorn returned Sunday from a visit with friends in Pittsburgh.

Mrs. John Martin, daughter Eleanor and son John Jr., returned Sunday evening from a two weeks visit with relatives in Pittsburgh.

Mrs. Johanna Nash left today for her future home in Kane, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. John Weimer wish to thank their friends for their kindness during the illness and death of their beloved baby daughter, Thelma Jane.

ADVERTISEMENT

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT SEALED BIDS will be received by the Town Council of Clearfield Borough at their office in Clearfield, until 7 o'clock p. m., Wednesday, Sept. 8th 1915 for the construction of a

4 x 4 ft RE-INFORCED CONCRETE CONDUIT

in the East End, Clearfield, Penna. Proposals will be required to conform to plans and specifications on file at the office of the Town Council. Bidders must deposit with the Secretary of the Town Council a certified check to the amount of Fifty Dollars (\$50.00) and payable to the Town Council, prior to the time when bids will be closed as a guarantee of good faith. Checks of unsuccessful bidders will be returned to them after the bids have been opened.

Proposals will be publicly opened at the office of the Town Council at 8 o'clock, P. M. Wednesday, Sept. 16, A. D. 1915.

The successful bidder will be required to execute satisfactory bonds in a sum equal to the amount of his bid for the faithful performance of the contract.

THE TOWN COUNCIL RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ANY OR ALL BIDS.

By order of the Town Council,
FRED B. KERR,
President of Council

Attest:
J. D. Connelly,
Secretary of Council
HOBART CALLAHAN
Chief Burgess

Dated, Sept. 7th, 1915 SS-10-13

CONDEMN CONSCRIPTION
(By United Press)

Bristol, England, September 8.—Resolutions condemning compulsory enlistment in the British army were adopted by unanimous vote by today's session of the National Trade Union congress here.

Leitzinger Bros. Friendship-Making

The Pioneer Department Store of Clearfield, Pa.

Invites you to visit this store and inspect the new stock of

Autumn and Winter Merchandise

MAIN FLOOR: New Fall Dress Goods and Trimmings, Gloves, Hosiery and Neckwear, Men's Women's and Children's Shoes and Slippers, Gent's Furnishings, Men's and Boy's Sweaters and Bath Robes.

ANNEX: Fall and Winter Underwear for Women and Children, New Corsets, Ladies' and Children's Sweaters, Infants Apparel and Muslin Wear.

SECOND FLOOR: This department is showing fashions. Newest and best Ideas in Women's and Misses' Tailored Suits, Coats and Dresses. FURS--Coats, Neck Pieces and Muffs. Silk Petticoats. Children's Dresses of Serge, Percales and Gingham, and New and Stylish

MILLINERY

THIRD FLOOR: New Fall stock of Carpets, Rugs and Mattings, Blankets and Comforts, Brass and Iron Beds and Bedding.

FOURTH FLOOR: A new department--an entire floor of Good Dependable Furniture--Bed Room Suits, Dining Room and Kitchen Furniture

FIFTH FLOOR: This is the Toy Department, Porch Furniture and Fireless Cookers.

The Largest Stock of Merchandise to Select From at

LEITZINGER BROS.

The Big Store - - - Clearfield, Pa.

ONE WEEK ONLY

The Best Range at the Right Price
The Aluminum Cooking Ware FREE



ONE CENT A MEAL FOR ONE YEAR.

In almost every house there are practically one thousand meals a year prepared on the stove. Many people hesitate about paying five or ten dollars more to secure a reliable range—one that will cook these thousand meals a year with the least trouble and at the lowest cost. If you should add one cent to the cost of every meal for the first year only, you would soon make up the difference between the cheap range and the range that will last a lifetime.

Suppose your cheap range uses one cent's more of fuel in cooking each meal, or only three cents' worth more a day. In one year this range has cost you ten dollars extra—ten dollars more for fuel than the better range. Every year means that much more money burned up.

Suppose the better range does cost ten dollars more at first than the cheap one. The extra cost is nothing—it amounts to only one cent a meal. It will save you one cent a meal in fuel alone. In one year it will save the extra cost, and in ten years it will save you one hundred dollars not counting what you save missing big repair bills.

You can open a bank account in your kitchen by buying a South Bend Malleable Range.

An expert demonstrator from the factory will be at our store for one week. He will tell you about the Patented Aluminum-Fused Copper-Bearing Flues. And prove to you why it is the best range made.

THE SOUTH BEND
MALLEABLE
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Buy One This Week
and get the Ware
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One Week Only--Remember The Date
September 15 to 22

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Hardware for Heating and Plumbing

South Second Street, CLEARFIELD, PA.

YOUNG GIRLS ARE WORKERS IN BOMB FACTORIES ABROAD

High Explosive Snaels, Hand Grenadas, Man-Killing Devices Are Manufactured

Correspondent Gives Interesting Description of Making of Grenade and Precautions Taken Against Explosion--Location of Plant Kept Secret--Aeroplane Attacks Feared.

By WILLIAM PHILIP SIMMS
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

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With the French army at the front August 6 (by mail)—Young girls and women are the principal workers in the factories where bombs, high explosive shells and grenades and man-killing devices are manufactured. It is one of the terrible things of the war that these girls, who are so young and so beautiful, are doing this terrible work. They are working in the factories where bombs, high explosive shells and grenades and man-killing devices are manufactured. It is one of the terrible things of the war that these girls, who are so young and so beautiful, are doing this terrible work.

Our first mission was to make the first of these shells. It was a very simple thing to do. We took a piece of iron and we made it into a shell. We then filled it with the explosive material. We then made it into a shell. We then filled it with the explosive material. We then made it into a shell. We then filled it with the explosive material.

factories products, those and the projectiles hurled from their muzzles.

Also several varieties of grenades, bombs and petards are supplied here.

The "lemon" is one of the newest and most effective of the many brands of hand grenades. It is likewise the simplest. It is made in the shape of a lemon, from which it gets its nickname, and at one end is provided with a sort of button with coil-spring—a button working on the same principle as the one you use in ringing for Marie to serve the coffee. This button is harder to operate, of course, as it sets off the grenade when pushed in and were it too easy on the trigger it would be too dangerous to operate. Before throwing the bomb you simply hit the button about as you would to open a bottle of soda-pop.

Here is how the hand grenades are made.

First the shell is cast, a shell some quarter of an inch thick. It is intended all over to insure its bursting into innumerable fragments when exploded. The average number of fragments, determined after careful tests, is 220, the fragments being about the size of the tip of your little finger, of very rough edges and, at short distances—these weapons are never used otherwise—capable of piercing a two inch plank. They make very dangerous weapons.

These caution shells stopped the lemon, the next one rolled out the over-bushes welded by women. Inside is a revolving apparatus resembling an old-fashioned clock. This inside clearing is to clear a path for the bullet. It is to clear a path for the bullet. It is to clear a path for the bullet. It is to clear a path for the bullet.

In this strange war hand grenades have become of more importance in many instances than rifles and all along the front special corps of "grenadiers" have been formed. These

where the lemon begins to swell.

While this is being done the "stopper" is assembled by other girls.

From the wood-turning department come the wooden plugs which close the grenade and contain the operating button. A hole runs through the middle and through this passes a Bickford time fuse. At the upper end is a cap something like the cap of an old-time muzzle-loading gun which is exploded by the push-button mentioned above. At the bottom of the fuse is the detonator.

The various operations of assembling this apparatus are performed by girls and women, some quite young, some old, grandmotherly and bespectacled. Each girl or woman has but one operation to perform however simple they may be. One inserts the fuse another adjusts the cap, a third the detonator, a fourth makes the joint between the fuse and detonator safe by means of sealing wax and so on, the "stoppers" flowing smoothly down this human stream rapidly and without let-up until at least they pour into the grenades stream for final adjustment.

A hole is made in the tightly packed chedite with which the grenade is filled and into this hole the detonator is passed. The grenade is now nearing completion and becomes extremely dangerous. Should one be dropped, or the button of one hit against any hard object with force, an explosion results within four and a half seconds, the time these special grenades are set for. Consequently from now on, until the grenades are packed for shipment all workmen sit beside a barracade stone and brick wall over which a bomb which has met with an accident may be tossed before it explodes.

In this strange war hand grenades have become of more importance in many instances than rifles and all along the front special corps of "grenadiers" have been formed. These

are being drilled in their special work daily.

"Don't tell where you saw us making grenades," was the final injunction of the colonel of artillery acting as superintendent of the work. "We were visited by a spy this morning. The Germans want to know just where we are so they can drop bombs on us from their aeroplanes. We supply 10,000 grenades a day to one army, you see how important it is that we keep working. Besides we don't want our folks killed."

(Tomorrow—Subterranean Defense.)

CELEBRATE THEIR 61st WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. William Henry, of Bloom Township Honored by Friends

On Friday, Sept. 3, about 120 friends and neighbors met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Henry, at Chestnut Grove in Bloom township to help them celebrate the 61st anniversary of their wedding. Long before noon guests began to arrive with well-filled baskets and the forenoon was spent in renewing old acquaintances and forming new ones. At noon all surrounded the well-laid tables and did ample justice to the abundance of good things set before them.

After dinner Rev. M. C. Flegal, of Lumber City, gave a short talk which was greatly appreciated and some vocal music was rendered, after which all returned to their homes wishing "Mr. and Mrs. Henry many more happy returns of the day."

William Henry and Mary J. Rusler were married Sept. 3, 1854, by David Dressler, J. P. With the exception of two years spent in Illinois all their married lives have been spent in Bloom township the past 60 years on the farm where they now reside.